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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

EVEN the hero of Appomattox didn't know that Wall street was loaded.

CONGRESS can compliment itself by unanimously passing the bill retiring Gen. Grant.

MORRISON will now have to be removed from the list of candidates for the Democratic Presidential nomination.

WHEN the Christian women reach the hour of prayer devoted to editors they should put their whole souls into the work.

WM. LIVSEY, State Treasurer, and Hon. Jerome B. Niles, auditor general, assumed the duties of their respective offices on Monday morning, May 5.

A MUZZLE ought to be put on Hewitt. He made a spectacle of himself in that affair with the British minister some time ago and now he is coming forward with a tariff bill.

MR. RANDALL has stuck quite a feather in his cap. The Morrison Democrats will pluck it out at Chicago and use the quill to write some other fellow's name on the ticket.

IN declaring Carlisle to be her choice for President, Kentucky pays him a handsome compliment. But she is on the wrong side of the line, and that destroys the force of her voice.

THE loss of the steamer Florida may make ocean travel less dangerous, by impressing upon Captains the necessity for occasionally sacrificing speed to considerations of safety.

CHARLEY FORD, one of the notorious Ford Brothers who killed Jesse James, committed suicide at his father's residence about a mile from Richmond, Missouri, on Tuesday morning, May 6.

EUGENE W. WOODWARD, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, and Treasurer of the Church Board of Education, is a defaulter to the amount of $10,000. He has fled from his home at Ridley Park, Philadelphia.

JUDAH P. BENJAMIN, who died in Paris a few days ago, was a historical character. He served as a senator from Louisiana, then seceded on the breaking out of the war, joined the confederacy, became attorney general and afterwards secretary of state. At the close of the war he fled to England, where he became an eminent lawyer and soon accumulated a fortune. He was in his 73d year.

IT IS comfortable to observe that the river and harbor appropriation bill provides $3,000 for the Salkiehatchie river, $25,000 for the Chattahoochie, $15,000 for the Choctawahatchee, and $5,000 for the Caloosahatchie. The people can now hope that when these great highways of commerce receive the improvements that are designed for them, they will provide water for the cattle on their banks all the year round.

A CONVICT in a New Jersey prison under sentence for thirty years, ten of which only have expired, has inherited $60,000. How bitter must be the reflection to him, that his inheritance has come too late, or had he only been honest how pleasantly he might have lived. He professes to feel hope in the future, and avows his purpose to live honestly, if he lives to get out. What a striking emphasis his experience gives to the adage, "honesty is the best policy."

The Tariff Bill's Obituary—Other Legislature Measures.

It died on Tuesday, May 6. It was young. Great men rejoiced at its birth and sorrowed at its funeral. It was a vigorous child and caused a great stir before its death. Its effect was evil and only evil. The crankism of the country brought it into existence and the common sense of the country defeated it. But when the poet shall exclaim—

"Who killed Tariff Bill?

Perhaps Randall will answer:

"I, the great Sam Randall,
Took him by the handle,
And now he is dead."

Well, it is true that Randall was as potent as any other Democrat in effecting the result. But then he was influenced to work against the bill by a feeling of revenge against Carlisle, Morrison and that ilk, who interfered with his aspirations for the speakership. The Republicans defeated it and were aided in doing so by a few Democrats who feared the indignation of their constituents should they be instrumental in plunging upon the country an era of financial depression such as the adoption of a horizontal tariff bill would produce.

One of the notable Republicans speeches on the Tariff Bill was made by Representative Finnerty. He began by saying he would not inflict upon the House a repetition of the rather indigestible statistics, that had been furnished by so many gentlemen on both sides. The student of political economy might perhaps read the multiplied evidences of theorists, but the masses would appeal from the doctors in the temple to the results outside it. The word "free" he continued, carries with it an over-powering charm to Americans, or to persons naturalized as Americans. It covers a multitude of errors, if not an aggregation of sins. Without the qualification of "free", the argument of "free trade" would lose half its potency. He held that a few politicians who were anxious to make an issue, some socially inclined gentlemen at a banquet board, and a limited number of rhapsodical theorists, the culture and chivalry, perhaps, to which Orator Hurd, had made allusion (laughter and applause), were moving in this question; but the man of toil whose chivalry was concentrated in the protection from the pauper surroundings of his wife and little ones, was not influenced by such incentives to a suicidal step of experimental policy.

Randall, who with Morrison closed the debate, also made a remarkably strong speech, which perhaps inspired more than one Democrat to aid in defeating the bill. The majority against it was not large, only four or five votes, but it killed the bill effectually for the present session.

There has been considerable business of interest in legislation of late. Friday night, May 2, was devoted to Pension bills, and on Saturday the Chinese immigration bill was discussed and passed almost unanimously. It merely seeks to cure certain defects in the present law which have been discovered since its passage, but it is not designed to change in any way the effect of the present statute. During this debate a lively episode occurred between Gen. Tom. Browne, of Ind. and Reprentative Cox, of New York, the exciting cause being the irrelevent question of human rights in connection with the descendants of Ham.

Ex-Senator Kellogg was not satisfied with the result of his trial, and desires to appear before the Judiciary committee of the House, and tell his own story. He says the indictment was bungled so that the case would be thrown out of court without an opportunity for his thorough vindication.

THE great middle states, from Ohio to New Jersey, which will elect next Fall a Republican Protection president on a Protection platform, furnish 37 of the 41 Democratic votes against the Morrison bill. These states will elect the next president. They are a unit for Protection and they will accept no mask on Democratic Free Trade.

CARRY the news to Watterson.

Prospect for Business Improvement.

With the defeat of the tariff bill, says the Pittsburg *Dispatch*, the principal element that has restricted the business operations of the country has been removed. Gentlemen of prominence have expressed the opinion that the fate of the measure will not produce any effect on business. It is hardly likely that it will produce any great advance in prices or overwhelming expansion of operations; but there seems goods reason for hoping that it will justify a change from the present cautious policy of business men to one of general confidence and moderately enlarged transactions.

The present depression is, in a great measure, directly referable to tariff changes. It commenced over a year ago, with the reduction of tariff by the last Congress. With that reduction the prices of iron and other leading staples went down in proportion to the decrease on duties. By the time that values were fully readjusted, the policy of the majority of the Democrats to demand still a lower tariff was apparent, and the depression has continued until the present time. Consumers of iron, steel and merchandise would not of course buy freely while there was a chance of still lower prices, and it would have been suicidal for merchants to have carried large stocks in the face of a possible reduction.

It is now apparent that there can be no material changes in the tariff for a year to come, and even then it is one of the least likely results of our politics that the people will vote to disturb business by further tampering with duties. Under these circumstances there is every reason to look for a moderate and satisfactory improvement in business. All the other elements of a sound condition are now very strongly developed in the business situation. Prices are almost without exception down to hard pan level. The weak and reckless firms who compose the unsafe element in business have been eliminated by the late failures. The material wealth of the country was never in better condition for improvement. All those causes combine to show how safe and natural it will be for legitimate trade to undergo a moderate expansion and place itself on a conservatively prosperous basis.

LA DE DAH! Mr. Orme Wilson, brother of Mrs. Ogden Goelet, of New York, is to marry Miss Carrie Astor, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Astor, and heiress to many millions. The bride and her mother are now bound for Paris to procure the bridal trousseau. The wedding will take place in the fall and will be a splendid affair. Many valuable sets of diamonds, rubies, sapphires and pearls are to be reset for the bride and over her white satin dress she will wear a lace veil of value. Several Worth and Pingat dresses will be in the trousseau and fine laces and other apparel will also be imported for the young bride. It is said that Miss Astor has refused bushels of proposals, one especially from Count d'Harnoncourt, whose family is 900 years old. We think the lady is very sensible, by the way, to refuse a man who has a family 900 years old, because he must be almost as old as Methuselah was when the last mentioned gentleman died. Anyway, we wish Mr. and Mrs. Orme Wilson much happiness.

AND now the fruit growers of the Delaware and Maryland peninsula are congratulating themselves that they have not only the assurance of unusually large crops, but that the destruction of the peach crop all through the west and north of Tennessee, secures them a hungry market. We are sorry for the western people, but there is some consolation in the fact that there is a region where the cold has not killed the fruit, which can supply the deficiency.

Gen. Grant's Judgment.

It will strike the country as something singular, remarks the Pittsburg *Commercial*, that General Grant, with his strong common sense and wide experience, should not only have encouraged his sons to embark in the most risky of all businesses, but should have himself become a member of the firm and placed a portion of his own capital in jeopardy. He has learned in every day school life that the surest and safest road to success is that which a young man has the patience and fortitude to clear for himself, and that the most unpromising as well as dangerous thing to attempt is to start in at the top instead of at the bottom.

In his recent talk on the prospective future greatness of the country, and the elements which are most likely to promote it, he manifests no small degree of foresight. He sees great possibilities in the grazing and agricultural resources of the West, and in the manufacturing advantages of the South, and yet he has not seen fit to commend any of these enterprises to his sons as opening the way to honorable employment and affording a sure foundation for a competence if not for a fortune. He preferred that his boys should link their destiny with that of a spendthrift like Ward, whose chief recommendation seems to have been that he knew how to live luxuriously on money that he had never earned, and cared more for liveried servants and fast horses than for business honor.

It is possible, however, that General Grant's judgment in this matter was superior to his opportunities for enforceing it. He may have yielded reluctantly to the flattering argument that his name would command success, no matter how risky the line of business or how reckless the management might be. If so, he has learned another lesson in the school of experience, and one which many of the fathers and sons of the land may profitably. There is no royal road to either wealth or fame. The true criterion is not the name of the firm but the ability of its members to achieve success.

IT IS truthfully remarked by the Philadelphia *Bulletin* that we should no longer quote the census and say our United States have fifty millions of inhabitants. Our numbers are more than fifty-six millions. This appears from our rate of increase. During the last four years the census immigrants have averaged more than 650,000 annually. Therefore the above number is considerably below rather than above the truth. Our population is twenty millions more than the British Islands; it is eighteen millions more than that of France; it is ten millions more than that of the Empire of Germany. We are therefore a long distance in advance of these three great countries, the greatest powers of the world. In wealth, we go before them in a still greater degree, especially when we reckon our vast extent of fertile soil and its untold mineral riches, including gold, silver, mercury, lead, zinc, copper, nickel, iron, coal, oil, and a long catalogue of other valuables. This superabundance of wealth has enabled us for several years past to invest about a million of dollars every day in railroads and their belongings. How much more we will invest in buildings and land improvements no one can tell.

SHENANDOAH is suffering from a small-pox epidemic which overshadows dull times, forest fires and strikes. There are twenty cases at present and five or six deaths have already occurred. The Board of Health is doing its best to check the spread of the disease, but the sanitary conditions in the average mining town are usually none of the best, and there is grave danger that the disease will rage unchecked for some time yet in spite of all efforts to check it.

IT is learned from the Bloomsburg *Republican* that the citizens of Berwick have during the past week attested their friendship and appreciation of the work of the Young Men's Christian Association of that place by subscribing sufficient funds to insure the erection of a handsome brick building to cost from $6,000 to $8,000 on the lots corner Market and Second streets, lately deeded to them by C. R. Woodin. The building will have a reading room, lecture room, library, reception room and parlor on the first floor, with bath in the basement and a hall on the second floor to be used in the development of the work for young men. A general secretary in the person of S. T. Dimmick, of Susquehanna county, has been employed, and he will seek to interest young men in the spiritual welfare of their fellow young men. It is expected that the building will be erected during the present year. The people with only a few exceptions have given the work a hearty endorsement, and the pastors and business men are in full sympathy.—*Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin.* We hope it will not be long ere Bellefonte follows Berwick's example. What Bellefonte needs is a Mr. Woodin and the necessary subscriptions.

DEMOCRATIC managers protest that the party is not in favor of free trade, at the same time that Hurd hurls his anathemas at the protectionists, and Carlisle and Morrison telegraph their congratulations upon the organization of a free trade league in Boston. The protest is a lie put forth to save the votes of Democratic voters who are not ready to follow the party into English arms. If the Democratic leaders get the power the experiment of free trade will be tried if thereby every iron factory and machine shop in the country is closed. The American workman may be assured of this fact. Please do not imagine that because we term free trade an "experiment" we have any lingering idea that it will be a success. In our opinion it is a false system from beginning to end, and its adoption in this country will prove the greatest calamity that ever overtook us.

IT is almost as good a thing to be a successful walker as it is to be a successful opera singer or base ball player. Mr. Fitzgerald gets $9,468.-15 for his week's work, which ought to enable him to take a week off to go to the Wagner concerts. Even the less successful Rowell's $3,675 is not a bad salary for six days and it is doubtful if Panchot could make $2,-007 or Noremac $1,888 in the same time at any more useful industry. If these tempting figures should have the effect of inducing a few thousand misguided persons to desert the stage for the race-track the walking match will not have been in vain.

IT was time for Boston to get up some new big thing. The big men were pretty nearly all dead or absent. Its big organ has just passed into private hands. Butler had become unpopular and Mr. Sullivan was dwindling, so in its extremity Boston has cast the biggest gun ever made in this country. Some people will say the Hub is only keeping up her reputation for big guns. And if the new 212,000 pounder only hits the mark as truly as did the other big guns, Boston will have cause to be proud.

In the matter of American wage-workers vs. The Cobden Club.	And now, to wit, May 6, 1884, Judgment for Plaintiffs.

THE Democrats now ask: "What do the Republican party propose in the way of tariff reduction?" No, no, the Republicans are in a minority and cannot carry measures through Congress, they only have the power, with the aid of a few sensible Democrats, to prevent folly on the part of the great Constitutional party.

GENERAL NOTES.

There are 8000 French Canadians in Lowell, Mass.

All the United States senators but two wear spectacles.

This year's cotton crop in the South is figured at 5,700,000 bales.

Nearly 200 divorce suits are calendared this month for trial in the Boston courts.

Richmond, Va., has been selected as the best site for the proposed ex-Confederate home.

The Brazilian Government has just spent $10,000,000 upon the new water supply of Rio.

John Stuart and Miss Dora Ward were married in a street car at Atlanta, Ga., Thursday.

Last year there were 1,517 murders in the United States, 93 legal executions, and 118 men were lynched.

An old maid in Connecticut has a cat that adopted four motherless chickens in place of four of her kittens which died.

The total number of criminal convictions in France in 1883 was 186,770, and of these 78,998—that is 44 per cent—were of old offenders.

Miss Bertha Rudolph, of Providence, R. I., was frightened to death by coming suddenly upon two men in the street who were fighting.

The premier Mayoralty in England is enjoyed by Winchester, and its seven hundredth anniversary will be celebrated in the course of the present year.

At Gotha, in Germany, on Easter Day, the corpse of an American lady was cremated; this being the 163d case of the kind since the establishment of the Crematorium there.

The Louisiana rice crop has proved larger than last year and aggregated about 250,000 bbls. Sugar shows a falling off; the total yield is generally conceded to be 200,000 hhds.

Sorakichi, the Japanese wrestler, while in Washington on a tour with Duncan C. Ross, exhibited his butting powers by butting through a heavy door panel with his head.

A West End bank in London, with a humor that half atones for the tyranny of the act, has issued an order that "gentlemen must not wear beards or mustaches during office hours."

April 21 was celebrated in Rome as the 2,637th anniversary of the foundation of Rome by Romulus. The tri-color was hoisted on the tower of the Capitol, and the Civic Guards wore their full-dress uniform.

An undertaker in Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the north of England, inserted, recently, in a local newspaper the following advertisement: "Why live and be miserable when you can be buried in comfort for three pounds ten?"

A Portland, Me., jury had to be provided with a dozen copies of "David Copperfield" recently, in order to estimate in a libel suit the amount of damages the plaintiff had sustained in being compared to Uriah Heep.

Rev. Dr. Wild, of Toronto, announces that the Millennium will occur in 1935, after that date no man's age will be so prolonged that when one becomes 100 years old he will be regarded as merely in the infancy of his existence.

The iron and steel industry employs 141,000 men, at wages of $58,476,785 annually in final processes, and uses up raw materials which involve the payment of $191,271,150 for anterior expenses and processes of transportation, mining, etc.

Lady Brassey, of the yacht Sunbeam, has a pretty, long-haired pet pig. "He is the quaintest little animal imaginable," she says, "he sits up like a dog, and was discovered, after lunch to-day, comfortably ensconsed among the pillows on the sofa."

A Boston *Globe* cynic, on reading Father Ryan's celebrated saying: "Let me write the songs for the children of a nation, and I care not who makes the laws," remarked: "Let me but draw the nation's salary, and I care not who does its work."

Mr. A. Walker, a Scotch engineer, while surveying the mouth of San Juan river for the Panama Canal Company, was bitten on the left leg by a fly on the 12th ult. A physician cut out the wound, blood poisoning followed, and he died in three days.

It is a remarkable coincidence that just at this time there are so many women suffering with bad colds. And it is also astonishing that if you ask anyone of the many thus afflicted they will tell you the cause was leaving off their sealskin sacques so soon.

A young gentleman while walking home with a couple of ladies the other evening foolishly remarked that one of his weaknesses was that he couldn't say no. One of the girls, seizing upon this cue to his character, proposed to him after the other had been left at her door, and was accepted.

One of the provisions in the life sentence imposed in Berlin on Carl Schenck, one of the trio of servant girl murderers, is that on every anniversary of the killing of each of his victims he is to be confined, for that day in a dark cell. He will thus have to spend ten days per year in total darkness.

Mr. Henry Labouchere, who is not only editor of an influential London journal, but a member of Parliament as well, has been going into uncomfortable mathematics by showing that the cost of the royal family, about £1,000,-000 annually, would give a meal to 600,000 children on 300 days in the year.

There are not many Parsees now in the world, the largest Parsee community being at Bombay, where reside 100,000 worshipers of the sacred fire. They hold there much the same position as the Jews do in London. They are respected for their integrity, their thrift, their care for their own poor, and the generosity of the wealthier members towards objects of public interest.

Of birds the greenfinch is the earliest riser, as it pipes as early as half past 1 in the morning. About half past 2 the blackcap begins, and the quail wakes up a half hour later. The sparrow occupies nearly the last place on the list. The reputation of the lark for early rising is entirely a false one. That celebrated bird is a sluggard, and does not rise until a number of other birds have been up and about for some time.

Poetry.

"FROW IT DOWN."

BY FANNIE BOLTON.

A "Band of Hope" teacher has told me, dear children,
A sweet little story so full of good cheer
That I cannot refrain from just telling it over,
To help you fight down old whiskey and beer.

She went to the dear kindergarten one morning,
And a cute little fellow caught hold of her hand;
"I am one of your temperance scholars," he murmured,
"I's signed to the pledge and belong to the Band."

"You've signed to the pledge," said the teacher, half smiling,
"And what does it mean to be signed there, my dear?"
"Oh, it means I'm to drow up and vote prohibition,
And never touch whisky nor 'bacco nor beer."

"You told us that beer makes the start for a drunkard,
And my mamma had some on just t'other day."
The dear little features grew sadly o'erclouded,
"And tell me," said teacher, "then what did you say."

"I said," lisped the sweet little lips, "Don't you touch it?"
His white rounded forehead grew stern with a frown,
And his voice grew as deep as childhood could make it,
"I said, Frow it down, mamma dear, frow it down!"

"And some how this incident cheered me and thrilled me,"
Said the Band of Hope teacher, "for oh! don't you see,
The Band of Hope children are going to save us,
And win in the future a grand victory?"

The sweet little voices now influence mothers,
And fathers will quail at the sight of the frown.
And won't the curse cease and saloons totter over
When our grand coming army shall shout "Throw them down?"

A MERRY MAID.

Oh, she was such a merry maid,
So full of mirth and glee,
That every one who knew her said—
So blithe and gay was she—
That if a lover came to woo
This madcap of the town,
His fate he'd rue; for well they knew
She'd never settle down.

The sweetest music was her laugh
That ran in liquid trills,
Half like a song of birds, and half
Like downward dancing rills;
To melody her voice was set,
And, though the world might frown,
She did not fret, but said: "'Tis yet
Too soon to settle down!"

A lover sought the maid to wed,
And oh! what happiness
Was his, when, blushing rosy-red,
She softly whispered "yes."
With many a shrug, and knowing glance,
The gossip of the town
Said in advance: "She'll find a chance,
Perhaps, to settle down!"

But happy in her wedded lot,
With gladness unsubdued,
She made her home a blessed spot
For those in any mood;
Her children gayly frolicked round,
Her husband held her dear,
And sick and sound a welcome found
Within this house of cheer.

Time stole the roses of her youth,
With much she had to part;
But spite of all, in sober truth
She kept her merry heart.
Such charms and graces she displayed,
Who wore the matron's crown,
The gossip said: "The merry maid
Is the sweetest wife in town!"

Our Story Teller.

In the Window.

"I'll keep the light in the window Sandy, till you come back."

"Never mind, mother," said the boy, standing at the door in an uncertain, slouching kind of way, "I—I might be late."

"It's dark across the lane," said the mother, "and a bit of candle light would be ill spared if you got a tumble by it. I'll keep the candle burning until ye come back."

She was a hard featured Scotch woman, healthy and active; though no longer young, and, as she talked, she worked on, ironing the linen she had washed and starched, and heaping it, like a snow drill, in a great basket beside her. Four other children were in the room, girls and boys, too young to do much for themselves, but Sandy was eighteen, a tall, handsome fellow, with ripe lips and cheeks, and dancing eyes. "If Sandy only would have been a little steadier," the mother often sighed; but to be "steady" was not Sandy's forte. Off, ever and always to the river side, where other lounging boys watched the boats come in at the ferry, or plunged stones into the water for the village pet, the great Newfoundland, "Whiskers" by name, to "fetch." No harm in that, the mother thought, if the boys had all been good; but, evenings, at the stores, they were worse; and the decent washer-woman shivered as she listened to her boy's home-coming step at nights, lest some day he should copy Squire Peelor's boys, and drink too much. Squire Peelor's boys were her terror, though they were the sons of the richest man in the neighborhood. But now, as Sandy stood in the door, so tall, and fair and benny, the mother's heart grew light. He'd be sure to 'settle down' and help her with the bairns some day," she said. No doubt of that; he was but a bit of a boy now; and she ironed on until her work was done, and then put the candle in the window to light the boy along the lonely lane at his home-coming. The candle burnt itself away and sunk into the socket, and the very wick smoldered out, leaving only smell and smoke behind it, and still lit on Sandy across the threshold of his humble home, for that night Sandy had run away.

The life at home was too hard for him. The restraints of his mother's watchful eye irked him. To do his own will, to have his own way, Sandy left his home behind him, but he had grace enough to remember, with a pang, these words:

"I'll keep the light burning till ye come back, Sandy."

Some vague hope of being rich and doing great things for those at home, was in his mind, or he believed so; but a selfish desire to escape the drudgery and the restraint, gave the actual impulse to his steps. He shipped as a sailor the next day, and began in earnest a wild and reckless sailor's life.

It suited him. Now and then, when the storm was at its height, and far in the distance the lamps in some tall lighthouse shone like a great red eye, the tiny flicker of that window-sheltered candle would dawn upon his memory, and he would hear his mother's voice, saying "I'll keep it burning until ye come back, Sandy." Now, and then, amid the yarns and songs of the fore castle merry-making, he heard the crooning of the tunes she used to sing over her work—old Scottish ballads, or perhaps some hymns down from the time when the old Covenanters worshipped God and defied man among the purple heather. They never lured him home to help her, though.

The years rolled on and even this one sting of conscience ceased its paining. In those days there where no such things as sober sailors, nor captains of temperance principles. Hard drinkers were most old salts, and most young ones. Sandy drank with the rest. He grew broad and stout. His cheek was bronzed, his hair changed its tint, his voice grew deeper and coarse. He was in no way a good man, but he was a good sailor. As the years passed he came to be an officer—first mate of the Agamemnon. His pockets were full enough for all his purposes. The sea was better than land to him, and when on shore he led that kind of boisterous life that drives the thought of "mother" from men's very souls. He had friends, at least he thought so, men who knew him when his pay "jingled" in his pockets. He was not niggardly—nay, once he had emptied his remaining dollars into a beggar's hand. Sandy was bravest of the brave; but he had never been generous enough or brave enough to go back to his eastward seaport, where his mother had left the candle burning for him in the window—never, never.

Five years were gone, and ten and fifteen and twenty. A man nearly forty years of age stood in Sandy Cameron's shoes—a man who led the wildest life under the moon ashore; a man to whom fiery brandy was as water to a child; a man who remembered God only in his oaths; when the Agamemnon came after a long and stormy voyage just within sight of the coast—within sight of its light house, at least, for in the darkness of a stormy night nothing else was visible. Battered with storms already, bruised by the waves and wounded by rocks still the Agamemnon fought her way homeward; by morrow eve sound earth would be beneath the feet of the wave-weary mariners—for once at least, all longed for it, even wild Sandy Cameron. He was glad. He watched the towering lamps with joy and swore that they were pleasant sights. Before he slept he stood a long while leaning over the taff-rail, smoking, and thinking, if he ever tho't. A spark from the cigar held in an unsteady hand, unregarded by eyes not brighter for recent draughts of brandy, made its way somehow, wind-borne or demon-borne, into the place where the cargo of the vessel had been stored away, and at the dead of night they of the midwatch saw stealing through the planks beneath them red and yellow flames. The vessel was on fire.

"Fire! fire! fire!" the word rang its way to heaven, shouted by every tongue on board.

The scene that followed beggars description. None who lived to remember ever could forget it. There was no hope from the first; none save in the boats. They were filled at once. Who could forget it! Oh, who could forget it! The old man pointing the lights on the shore and crying:

"I wanted to see the children once before I died."

The captain, deathly pale, showing that strange bravery which sailors only possess at such a time.

Changing from a dictatorial old hard drinker to a very hero; clingingwith romantic fondness to his ship; and while he did his best for every other soul on board, forgetting himself, and vowing to sink with her.

The young passenger and his bride—she clung to him; the poor mother and her babe bound to her breast—praying on her knees amid the tumult. The orphan child going home to its grandparents, wonder-stricken, and yet scarcely conscious of its danger. The sailors changed like the captain into heroes. Who could forget all this? Amid them all, gigantic in his strength, sobered at last by the awful scene around him, toiled Sandy Cameron. They remembered him well whose lives he saved. The bronzed man with light hair and the grip of Hercules. So the boats and rafts—some to live, some to die—were all afloat. All going into the darkness, and struggling forms had vanished from the waves, and alone together, the flames approaching them like dancing demons, stood old Captain Oaks and his first mate Sandy Cameron.

"Captain," said Sandy, "it's most over."

"Aye, aye, lad," said the captain. "Give me your fist. We have sailed together a good while, now. We feel bound for the long voyage now. Lord help us, Sandy."

"There's a chance, yet, maybe," said the first mate. "Try for it, captain."

"No," said the sailor, "I go down with her."

That was the last that Sandy Cameron saw or heard of the captain. A rush and a roar from below, where spirits were stored, ended the words. Then came blindness and silence, and time paused for him.

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At last there was a sound again. The sound of waters. Sight, the red lamps of the lighthouse. Feeling, that of the wet sand against his face. Some strange providence had saved Sandy Cameron's life. Bruised and weak he lay motionless for a long time. Bruised, weak still, he staggered to his feet at last.

Above him, his sailor eye used to remember such things—towered well-known rocks kissed by a struggling moonlight. The sea had flung him into the arms of his native seaport; and up above, a man wandering along the shore, watching the lighthouse signals, perhaps, was singing a hymn:

"There's a light in the window for thee brother;
There's a light in the window for thee."

And then the tears rolled down the sailor's cheeks, and his softened heart yearned for the mother who had said: "I'll keep a light till you come back, Sandy."

Twenty years ago, and she was nearly fifty then. Probably she was dead; but some one might be in the old home yet who could tell him of her. And, so in the midnight darkness the sailor staggered up the river path, through the changed streets, and, led by the compass of his heart, to the lane where his boyhood home had been so long before.

The lane was no more a street of houses now; but at its end or he dreamt, Sandy saw a candle gleam. He drew nearer. No fancy misled him. Yes, between the curtains stood a candle, in very truth—and in the window of his own old home. He staggered on, his heart beating wildly. He struck the door with his hand. He waited, trembling, and the door opened. At it stood an old, old woman, with white hair, his mother—his mother. He knew her by her stern, strong features and her blue eyes still.

"What's this?" said she, in her Scottish accent; and he answered:

"A poor sailor, shipwrecked and needing shelter."

"Come in," she said, "come in and warm ye. It's a bitter night. The candle led ye here, na doot. It's burned these twenty years. Ye wonder at that? I had a boy once. He left me. The candle burns for him. I've a fancy it will wile him back yet; and kept it burnin'. The others are all dead; but I'll not believe he's dead; and I said I'll keep a light till ye come back, Sandy—and I will."

And when as he flung himself on his knees before her she knew that Sandy had come back, indeed.

He never again forsook her. A better son and a better man than Sandy came to be, those of the seaport say they may never see again. And if you go thither, they will point you out the little cottage window, at which, strong in her faith for his return, Captain Cameron's mother kept a light burning for him for all the nights for twenty years—that and the mansion where, with her son, now married and captain of an ocean steamer, she yet lives to bless him.

Royalty in the Kitchen.

Living in a pretty little cottage in the west end is an intelligent English woman, who at one time lived in the presence of royalty. To a reporter she said the other day: "My father was a gardner at Windsor castle, and when I was about 16—that's 11 years ago—I was taken in as a general utility maid."

"Were you in any way thrown in the company of the queen?"

"Yes, quite often. You see, some of the servants she never saw, but my duties took me all around the castle, and I saw her more than any of the others."

"Did the queen ever come into the kitchen, like the ladies of lesser degree are supposed to do?"

"Of course she did, and she enjoyed it, too. Why, I've seen her majesty take the rolling pin out of the pastry cook's hands and roll it out till it was just the right thickness."

"So the queen eats pie, does she?"

"I've seen her make a pie and I've seen her eat her share of one. She has a good appetite and a good digestion, and pie never hurts her at all."

"It is said she loves roasted apples; is it so?"

"Yes; I've seen her take in her own hands a dish of nicely browned apples and carry them to her room to eat at her leisure."

"When she used to be in the kitchen did she seem interested in the work?"

"Very much. Why, one day she came in dressed in a plain black dress, with a great big white apron on, and she made a cake and fixed up a whole lot of other dishes. She rolled up her sleeves and went at her work as if she was getting $2 a day and her board and lodging for it. She was always nice and kind to us, too, and talked like some American ladies talk and not at all like some others talk when they get mad."

"Didn't Victoria ever get angry?"

"Not very. "I've heard her say 'Zounds' sometimes when she put her finger on the hot stove or something like that."

A Texas man has invented a machine for washing dishes. Now let him go ahead and ring up a whole hired girl on the same plan and he will make his fortune.

Short Temperance Talks.

BY MISS C. S. BURNETT.

No. 4.—The do nothings.

In this age of the world when the great contest is raging for the supremacy of right over wrong, 'tis sad to find a great army who have been justly termed the "do nothings." Mr. Do-nothing always has a great many excuses to offer for his indifference on the temperance question. One is, "The liquor traffic will not hurt me if I let it alone." Let us see. Are you aware that taxes are doubled every year by the sale of liquor? Just see the expense incurred for the necessity of police and criminal courts. Look at our jails and asylums. Think of our paupers and the vagrants found in every city. Whisky is accountable for all of these. But you may suffer still more. There is that son of yours just budding into manhood. These dealers in drink already have an eye on him. Yes, and he has taken the first step. Take care! the traffic may hurt you more than you think. When you see him with bloodshot eyes, unstrung nerves, a ruined reputation, then you will say, when too late, "It has hurt me." Again, Mr. Do-nothing says, "I do not drink; I do not favor the traffic in drink; that is enough; I have no influence over other people; I cannot prevent other drinking; so there is no use in my worrying anything about it; I do not see any use in your temperance organizations or speeches. Men always have drank and they always will, so you might just as well mind your own business; you can't stop it, and I am not going to try. This question has no business in politics and I will sustain my party anyhow. I never have done anything to help either side and I never will."

Well! that is quite a speech. I wonder how much truth there is in it. You have no influence you say. I pity you then. What a mere cipher you must be! But you deceive yourself. You have influence, and that influence is given to the wrong side. It is barely possible that you are unconscious of the fact; but you ought to know that the time has come when even indifference is actual aid to the enemy. A foe is invading your homes. Will you sit idly by and say, "I have nothing to do about it?" Remember "he that is not for is against." The temperance cause needs your help and you have no right to withhold it. Then you are mistaken when you say the traffic in intoxicating liquor cannot be stopped. It can and will. So surely as God overthrew the slave system will He bring to naught this greater curse to our land. Men will always drink, just as they will always murder and steal but it shall be in violation of law. O that some one could arouse your slumbering consciences and show you that you have no right to vote for one who is not pledged to prohibition. This question does belong to politics, and by politicians, goaded on to the work by persistent efforts of Christian people, will it yet be solved.

I am sorry to say the "do nothings" are yet found in the pulpit. Shame on the minister who has not the moral courage to condemn vice, even if found in his own pews! No man ever yet lost in the end by being true to his convictions. When our ministers do their duty in the pulpit and at the polls the end is not far off.

Next to the pulpit comes the press as a factor in moulding public sentiment. I am glad to note the bold stand taken by the prohibitionists is bringing our editors to their senses, and they are finding the time has come when the sentiments of the Christian people of our land can no longer be slighted. Conscience has a stronger hold on them than party line, and they will act as it teaches if the party of "great moral ideas" does lose an election or two before it dares to speak out boldly for prohibition.

Strange as it may seem, in view of all that woman has suffered, the do nothings are not all men. How any woman can sit at ease while her own children are being borne on in this current of sin, soon to reach the vortex of destruction, is something I cannot understand. How dead the heart must be!

Though woman cannot vote on this question she can mould the conscience of the nation and make men vote as she wishes. If this traffic is not stopped the sin will rest largely on her shoulders. Oh sisters, think of your responsibility. "Why stand ye here idle?" The harvest is white; join the faithful laborers, and soon the shout of victory will roll all over our fair land.

Tullahoma, Tenn., March 13, 1884.

An Honest Verdict.

A man had met a girl in a lonely place and forcibly kissed her. She was terribly indignant and had him arrested. She gave an account on the witness stand of how he gazed at her intently, and then throwing his arms around her imprinted a kiss upon her lips. The prisoner made no defense, and the jury were expected to promptly convict him of assault. They returned to the court room. 'The ju-ju-jury w-w-would like to ask the young lady two questions,' the foreman said. The judge consented and she went on the stand. 'Did-did you wear the j-j-jersey that you've g-g-got on now?' 'Yes, sir,' was the demure reply. 'And w-w-was your ha-ha-hair b-b-banged like that?' 'Yes, sir.' Then, your Honor, we acquit the prisoner on the ground of emo mo-motional insanity.'

The biggest liar the world ever knew was Goliath.

Inside a Base Ball.

In all the toy, game, and sporting goods stores the new supply of balls for the game of base ball has been laid in, and the balls, lying in pasteboard compartments and rolled up in tinfoil, or having their coverings colored red or blue, are as pretty as so many Easter eggs. The first-class regulation ball for this year is not different from that in use last year. It cost $1.50, and sells at wholesale at the rate of $15 a dozen. It weighs about five ounces, and when thrown on a board floor sounds like a young paving stone. It is just about as solid and as heavy as a turnip of the same size, and though it is perfectly round and smooth, and the stitches are almost even with the leather, it stings the uncalloused hand of its catcher as if it were red hot or covered with prickers.

Base balls are dear because they are made by hand, and they are made by hand because they must be wound very tightly, carefully, and evenly. The basis of each one is a little lump of Para rubber round and weighing an ounce. Wound around this in every direction is worsted yarn. In some balls, after a thick layer of yarn is wound on, the ball is dipped in rubber, then more yarn is wound on; then it is dipped again, and finally yet more is wound on and then the cover is fitted over it. One ball affected by many professionals has a thin skin of concreate midway between the cover and the rubber. Girls make all the balls. The process is something like tha of making certain mixed drinks wherein the bartender put in lemon to make them sour and sugar to make them sweet. Players want what is called a dead ball, that is, one that won't bounce much. A stone will bounce more than a base ball ought to. So the rubber is put in to make it bounce just a little, and the yarn is wound tight and concrete is added to stop it bouncing at all. Thus the happy medium is reached. Sometimes moulded vulcanized rubber is used.

The best balls are covered with horseskin because it is strong and tough. Many of these are sewed with catgut, but in damp weather the catgut loosens, and therefore at such times those balls are used which are stitched with flax. Professionals have agreed upon the best form of ball and have ruled that it shall accord with these specifications:

The ball must weigh not less than five nor more than five and one-quarter ounces avoirdupois. It must measure not less than nine nor more than nine and one-quarter inches in circumference. It must be composed of woolen yarn, and shall not contain more than one ounce of vulcanized rubber in mould form, and shall be covered with leather.

Base balls can be purchased for 5, 10, 20, 25 and 50 cents. Many of these are machine made. They are stuffed with odds and ends of leather, wound up with cord, pressed into shape and covered with common leather. The second time one is hit with a bat it assumes the shape of an egg. A little later it still resembles an egg—one that has been hit with a club.

How She Managed It.

"I don't believe in this tomfoolery about leap-year," said a Somerville maiden to her lover; "it is all nonsense. No girl could be so immodest as to make a down right proposal of marriage to her beau."

"You are undoubtedly right," assented the young man; "the young ladies are not near so anxious to get married as the young men."

"Oh, as to that," rejoined the maiden, "I think you are mistaken. The girls are anxious enough to get married. Few of them would refuse an offer. I would jump at the chance myself."

"Would you really?"

"Try me and see."

He did try her, and there is another added to the list of marriages.—Ex.

What made the Difference.

"Are you as happy as you were before you were married?" asked Mrs. Yeast of young Mrs. Crimsonbeak.

"Yes, indeed," replied the lady, "and a great deal happier."

"That is strange," suggested the philanthropist's wife.

"Not at all strange," came from the young married woman. "You see before I was married I used to spend half my time worrying about what dress I should wear when Daniel called."

"But don't you try just as hard to look well when your husband returns home at night?" interrupted Mrs. Yeast.

"Well, you see," went on the bride of two summers, "I don't worry any about it now as I have only one dress to my name."

All Sorts.

Well watched—A jeweler's window.

No brass band can play as many airs as a drum major can put on.

A man who is locked up for drunkenness is certainly in a tight place.

We can discover no traces of a harness shop ever being called a bridle-chamber.

Self-made men are not "born to command," because they are not "made to order."

A complaining Chicagoan, in his suit for divorce, declares that his wife has made everything hot for him in his married life except his tea and coffee.

"What is a lake?" asked the teacher. A bright little Irish boy raised his hand. "Well, Mikey, what is it?" "Sure it is a hole in the tea kittle, mum."

Railways are aristocratic. They teach a man to know his own station and to stop there. They are eminently social, too, being held together by many ties.

The Steamer State of Florida.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A dispatch from Farther Point Quebec, says: The steamship Titania, from Glasgow, passed inward this morning. She has on board twenty-four of the crew of the steamship State of Florida, that vessel having been sunk by a collision with a bark in mid-ocean. Out of the 167 persons on the State of Florida only forty-four were saved, and of the bark's crew only the captain and two men were rescued. A hundred and twenty-three souls went down with the steamer and twelve with the bark, making a total loss of 135 lives. The survivors will probably be landed at Quebec.

QUEBEC, May 7.—The steamer Titania, having on board the survivors of the steamship State of Florida, passed on to Montreal.

The Titania did not land any of the survivors of the State of Florida here. She was boarded, however, by representatives of the press who obtained some particulars of the disaster. The only passengers saved are James Bennett, of London, Ont., first-class passenger; Andrew Fairborn, second class; David Struthers, second class; James Pattience, Jonah Hale and Eliza Churchouse, steerage passengers. Thirty-eight of the crew were also saved.

The following is the official report of the third officer of the State of Florida: We left New York on the 12th of April with one hundred and sixty-seven passengers and crew and a full general cargo. All went well until the night of the 18th at 11.30, when we collided with the bark Ponema, of Chatham, N. B., Captain Heyburn. Both vessels went down almost instantly, and out of the steamers passengers and crew only forty-four, including the stewardess, managed to escape in boats. Of the bark's crew of fifteen only the captain and two seaman were saved. Next morning the bark was observed bottom up.

The survivors, after having been thirty-five hours in boats without food or water, were rescued by the Norwegian bark Theresa, of Christiana, from that port, bound for Quebec, on the 22d. Twenty-four of them were transferred on board the ship Louisa, of and from Cardiff for Quebec. They remained on that vessel until the 5th of May, when they were taken on board the Tidiana for Quebec. It is believed that one hundred and thirty-five lives were lost.

Prof. Gross' Body to be Cremated.

PHILADELPHIA, May 7.—The *Record* to-morrow will say that the brief notices of the death of Prof. Samuel Dr. Gross, and the absence of any date for the obsequies was explained this evening by the departure of the body in charge of relatives for Washington, Pa., where the body of this distinguished surgeon will be cremated. The family of the professor had, during his lifetime, frequently been apprised of his wish that his body should be cremated and the ashes placed in the family vault at Woodland cemetery in this city. He favored cremation upon general hygenic principles, as being of greater benefit to the living rather than having hundreds of bodies decomposing in the ground. Religious services were held at the residence of deceased this evening, and the body was then placed upon the 9.10 p. m. train for Pittsburg, whence it will be taken to the famous Lemoyne crematory at Washington. If possible the incineration will take place to-morrow afternoon or evening.

Summer Boarding Rates.

From the Philadelphia Call.

Stranger—What do you charge for those rooms for the season?

Landlady—Let me see. You said something about being at Newport all last summer, did you not?

Stranger—Yes.

Landlady—My terms are $10 a day.

Stranger—My gracious! I can't afford to pay that.

Landlady—It is cheaper than going to Newport.

Stranger—I mean Newport, Pa. I was at a farm house near there, and paid $6 a week.

Landlady—Oh, excuse me. In that case my terms will be $5.50 a week.

THE decrease in the national debt for the ten months of the fiscal year already expired is in round numbers $87,000,000. If the average is maintained for May and June the annual reduction for 1884 will not be far from that of 1881, though considerably less than for the two intervening years. It is quite as satisfactory, all things considered, that the debt payment shows a decrease, and it might even be reduced advantageously one half or two-thirds, as, at our present rate of payment, we shall have in a few years no bonds available for immediate payment, and an annual surplus for which the Government will have no use.

Social Rivalry.

Evening Call.

"Mamma," said a New York girl, "do you know that at the Fitzimmons dinner party yesterday peaches were served in unlimited quantities?"

"Yes, I heard about it."

"They are a hateful set. They knew that we are to give a dinner party next week, and they gave theirs just to spite us."

"Why so?" asked the mother.

"Why so?" the daughter repeated. "Because they must have heard that we are to serve peaches, and they wanted to be the first to do so. I only hope they won't go down any in price."

Serious Accident by a Falling Shed.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 5.—During a violent hail and rain storm this afternoon the shed at the old fair ground fell on a large number of convicts making brick. One of the guards was killed and another seriously injured. Several convicts were also injured.

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A Visit to Scenes of Former Days.

Mr. Allison Haupt, conductor of the Bald Eagle Valley R. R., in company with the writer, took the 9 o'clock train on Saturday evening, May 3, for Sunbury in which place we arrived at 2 o'clock Sunday morning. After enjoying 6 hours sleep and breakfasting at the hotel, a nephew met us with a carriage and conveyed us nine miles through Irish Valley to the old homestead farm. There is where we were born and where our childhood days were spent and many delightful recollections revived to our memories. Many of the old landmarks are still unchanged. There, for instance, where a mere whip was placed in the ground by the writer 45 years ago, is now a giant walnut tree, two feet in measurement at the base and crowned with a top about 40 feet in diameter from one extremity to the other of the branches. The old house erected there by Grandfather Philip Hope, as he was called in the Revolutionary army, has survived the changes of 100 years. It was built of yellow pine and the inside is in as good state of preservation as it was the day it was put there. While these remembrances caused us joy there was one cloud on the horizon which occasioned sadness. Our youngest brother, who owns the old farm, had written me a week ago that if we would see him alive we should not delay our visit too long, as two weeks might cause a great change in him, as he had contracted a cold during March of last year which he had found it impossible to get rid of. Of course, we were prepared to find him unwell, but were shocked to discover that he is in the last stages of consumption. We were also glad to know that he is prepared for the change which probably awaits him. He has been a member of the Methodist church and superintendent of the Sunday school for many years. His name is Henry S. Haupt. He has a wife, five sons and two daughters. His boys are managing the farm, two of them having grown to be men and are aged 18 and 20 years, respectively. Yours, respectfully. I. H.

Over $5,000,000 of Debts Paid.

At the last Methodist Episcopal General Conference, held in 1880, a resolution was passed requesting all the churches in the United States to pay off as much of their debt as possible before the meeting of the next General Conference, to be held at Philadelphia, in May, 1884, so as to make as good a showing in the centennial year of Episcopal Methodism in the United States, 1884, as possible. It is not possible to get an absolutely correct statement of the total amount paid off in response to this advice. Last year the "Spring Conferences," which are mostly the conferences situated in the East, paid off $1,000,000 of a church debt and improved their church property to the extent of $1,925,000. The "Fall Conferences" for 1882 paid off $732,000 of church debts. It is probably an under-estimate to say that in the four years the churches have paid off $5,200,000 of debts, and probably improved church property to the extent of $3,500,000, a total of $8,700,000 for the entire country.

Destructive Storms.

PEORIA, Ill., May 6.—Lightning struck the college hospital last night, doing considerable damage and shocking several inmates, including Matron Taylory, whose recovery is doubtful.

THE CYCLONE IN IOWA.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, May 6.—The cyclone extended over considerable territory. The wind was more of a jumping than a whirling one. The storm was accompanied by a heavy down pour of rain and vivid lightning. Shortly after the blow the rain ceased, but later in the evening it began to fall again and is still raining hard.

Two Men Drowned.

WILLIAMSPORT, May 6.—John Martin, of Antes Fort, near Jersey Shore, Lycoming county, and Edward Gray, of this city, were drowned last night while crossing the Susquehanna river below Jersey Shore. Samuel Cook, John Johnson and Jacob Genchy, who were also in the boat, escaped. It is claimed that Cook purposely overturned the boat. He had twice before getting into the craft thrown Martin into the canal. Cook is a negro, who was tried for murder here last year and acquitted. The party had all been drinking.

We do not as a rule allow ourselves to use our editorial columns to speak of any remedy we advertise, but we feel warranted in saying a word for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sarsaparilla has been known as a remedial agent for centuries, and is recognized by all schools of practice as a valuable blood purifier. It is put up in forms of almost infinite variety, but Messrs. Hood & Co. (Lowell, Mass.), who are thoroughly reliable pharmacists, have hit upon a remedy of unusual value. Certainly they have vouchers of cures which we know to be most extraordinary.

Congressional Visitors to Carlisle.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The members of the Senate and House committee on Indian affairs will visit the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa., next Saturday.

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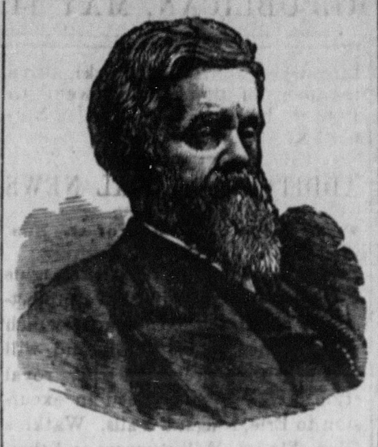

THE GREAT DR. DIO LEWIS.

His Outspoken Opinion.

The very marked testimonials from College Professors, respectable Physicians, and other gentlemen of intelligence and character to the value of Warner's SAFE Cure, published in the editorial columns of our best newspapers, have greatly surprised me. Many of these gentlemen I know, and reading their testimony I was impelled to purchase some bottles of Warner's SAFE Cure and analyze it. Besides, I took some, swallowing three times the prescribed quantity. I am satisfied the medicine is not injurious, and will frankly add that if I found myself the victim of a serious kidney trouble I should use this preparation. The truth is, the medical profession stands dazed and helpless in the presence of more than one kidney malady, while the testimony of hundreds of intelligent and very reputable gentlemen hardly leaves room to doubt that Mr. H. H. Warner has fallen upon one of those happy discoveries which occasionally bring help to suffering humanity.

Dio Lewis

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Out on the Prairie.

Concerning Something Better than Mrs. Toodles' Wheelbarrow—And the Reason Why.

When a certain Comissary-General complained to the Duke of Wellington that Sir Thomas Picton had declared he would hang him if the rations for that General's division were not forthcoming at a certain hour, the Duke replied:

"Ah! did he indeed go so far as that? Did he say he'd hang you?"

"Yes, my lord."

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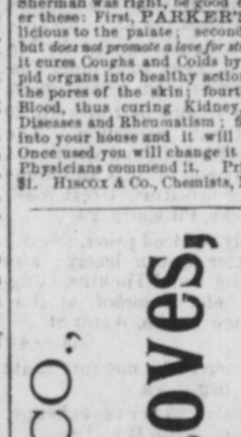

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Judah P. Benjamin Dead.

LONDON, May 8.—Judah P. Benjamin, the distinguished lawyer and advocate, and ex-member of the Government of the Southern Confederacy, is dead.

Mr. Benjamin was born in St. Croix, in the West Indies, in 1811. His parents were English and of Jewish faith. In 1816 they emigrated to Wilmington, N. C. Young Benjamin entered Yale College in 1825, and left without having graduated in 1828. He was admitted to the bar in New Orleans in 1832. He was elected to the United States Senate in 1852, and re-elected in 1858. On Dec. 31, 1860, he made a memorable speech in the Senate announcing his adhesion to the State of Louisiana, which had seceded from the Union. He immediately withdrew from the Senate and went to New Orleans, whereupon Jeff Davis, who had just been elected President of the Southern Confederacy, called him into his Cabinet as Attorney-General. He also acted as Secretary of War for the Confederacy during a temporary vacancy in that office. Afterward he was appointed Secretary of State, an office which he retained until the fall of the Confederacy.

He escaped the pursuit of the Federal troops and fled to Nassau, N. B. In September, 1865, he reached England. Through the influence of Lord Cairns, he was called to the bar in England in 1866. He began practice in Liverpool and rapidly succeeded in acquiring a large clientage.

His reputation as an advocate became very great. He received the silk gown in 1872. Thereafter he was engaged in almost every great legal contest in England. In 1868 he published his treatise on the "Law of Sale of Personal Property." Some of his arguments are famous in legal literature. Years ago he refused to take any briefs except upon appeal, and was thereafter heard only in the House of Lords and in the Privy Council.

At one time during the early history of his legal practice in England, he was reduced in circumstances by the failure of the house of Overend & Gurney, and he resorted to writing for the press to support himself and his family. He joined the staff of the *London Daily Telegraph*, and contributed many brilliant articles to the editorial columns of that journal. His book on personal property immediately attracted the attention of lawyers, and after its republication his practice increased with great rapidity.

Mr. Benjamin recently retired from the active practice of his profession, receiving many tokens of the high regard in which he was held by both the bench and bar of England.

Grant and Ward Assign.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Superintendent Camp, of the clearing house, says there is not the slightest ground for the rumors against banks in this city.

Grant & Ward have made an assignment to J. T. Davies.

J. D. Fish, President of the Marine bank, has made an assignment to J. H. Morris, with preferences for the Marine bank and Grant & Ward.

Fred. R. Grant and Jesse R. Grant have made an assignment to James McNamee. The former gave perferences for $240,000, and the latter for $95,000.

Fire Causes Panic in a Chapel.

TRIESTE, May 8.—A terrible panic occurred in a chapel in this city this morning, caused by the alter catching fire. Many people were injured in the resulting confusion as they struggled to escape from the building.

Wrecked on the Atlantic Coast.

ROCKLAND, Me., May 8.—The steamer, City of Portland, Captain Lascom, of the International line, from Boston for St. Johns, struck a ledge in Fisherman's Island channel at 3.25 this morning and sunk. She will be a total loss. The passengers and crew were saved. She left Portland at 8.45 last evening and was in charge of Pilot Ribber when she sunk, the captain being asleep in his stateroom. The ledge on which she struck is buoyed, and the accident was caused by the boat going too near the buoy. She struck heavily and careened, but did not sink till all on board were taken off. The mate went in a boat to Owlshead harbor, some three miles distant, and dispatched a messenger to Rockland for assistance. In three hours from the time the boat struck the steamer Rockland, of the Boston and Bangor line, was along-side, and those on board, with their baggage, were transferred to her and taken to Rockland. Previous to the arrival of the Rockland, fifteen women, nine children and two men were taken off by a sloop and landed at Owlshead. The City of Portland lies with only her bow above water and is rapidly breaking up. She had on board forty-five passengers, fifty-three officers and crew and a very light freight. It was clear and light at the time of the accident, and the buoy could be plainly seen about thirty feet from the steamer. A heavy sea was running.

Big Failure in Minnesota.

ST. PAUL, May 11.—It was learned late yesterday afternoon that a receiver had been applied for the Northwestern car and manufacturing company, of Stillwater, of which Senator D. M. Sabin is president, and that the court had appointed E. S. Brown, of Stillwater, of the firm of Hersey, Bean & Co., to that position. The news caused considerable excitement in St. Paul and Stillwater. Mr. Stimson, vice president and general manager of the company, states that the suspension will be but temporary, as the liabilities are but $1,110,000 and the assests $4,000,000 of which $2,000,000 are in accounts and bills receivable.

The failure is due to general depression and slow collections from farmers. About $150,000 is made up of farmer's notes, which, while good, are hard to collect.

The failure is also indirectly attributable to the failure of Grant & Ward, of New York. Mr. Sabin had been negotiating in that city and had nearly completed a sale when the Grant failure came and the parties about to invest withdrew and declined to purchase.

A Distinguished Man's Suicide.

WESTFIELD, May 11.—At half-past 6 o'clock yesterday morning Hon. Butler B. Strange committed suicide at his home in this place. He shot himself through the head with a revolver. Death was instantaneous. He arose in the morning, shortly after 6 o'clock, dressed himself and passed into the family sitting room, where his wife and son were sitting. He greeted them as usual. Then, unnoticed by them, he took a revolver, placed it to the right temple and fired. The ball passed through his head.

For two or three years Senator Strang has been in very poor health and for some time past he has been confined to his house. His disease involved his entire nervous system and affected his mind very much, leaving him but a wreck of his former self. He has been so much prostrated, mentally and physically, of late that his most intimate friends have not been able to see him. His act of self destruction was no doubt prompted by his condition.

A New Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Representative Hewitt, of New York, will introduce in the house on Monday next a bill to amend, simplify and make clear the present tariff law, with a view to obviating some of the difficulties experienced by the treasury department in construing and carrying out its provisions. He has some thought, also, of incorporating in his proposed bill a series of provisions intended to reduce the tariff, but he will not come to a final decision upon this point until he shall have had a conference with other democrats in the house. Hewitt said to-night that if he should decide to make his bill a tariff reduction measure the changes to be made by it would not be so radical as those which would have been made by the Morrison bill.

Walking by Faith in Maine.

BOSTON, May 8.—Two remarkable cases of faith cure are reported in Litchfield, Me. A lady who was suffering from a cancer and was getting relief only by using opiates, was visited by the Rev. Mr. Pearson and wife, who have been holding revival meetings in Augusta. They advised her to forego the opiates and trust in God for help. This she did, though strongly urged by her husband in her paroxysms to resort to the opiates.

After a few hours she fell into a natural sleep and began immediately to recover. A neighbor who had several deaf mute children, seeing this wonderful triumph of faith, resolved to seek help of God for his children. His children are now able to hear and are rapidly learning to speak.

The Khartoum Relief Expedition.

LONDON, May 11.—The preparations for the relief expedition to Khartoum are being accelerated with new vigor. It is now decided that the expedition will start in July. The strength of the force has not yet been determined, but will probably number 8,000 men, including the Indian contingent.

A TRAGIC EVENT.

A Father's Despair and Self-Inflicted Death. His Son's Final Rescue, Too Late to Save His Parent

The graphic occurrence that is described below is one of the most remarkable episodes in the history of America. It is absolute truth which can readily be verified.

The inhabitants of the pleasant town of Cortland, N. Y., were shocked one morning by the announcement that Mr. Clinton Rindge, one of their most prominent citizens, had committed suicide. The news spread rapidly and aroused the entire neighborhood where Mr. Rindge was so well and favorably known. At first it seemed impossible that any one so quiet and domestic could do so rash a deed, and the inquiry was heard on every side as to the cause. The facts as developed on investigation proved to be as follows:

Mr. Rindge was domestic in his tastes and took the greatest enjoyment in the society of his children and pride in their development. And indeed he had good reason to be proud for they gave promise of long lives of success and usefulness. But an evil day came. His youngest son, William, began to show signs of an early decay. He felt unusually tired each day, and would sometimes sleep the entire afternoon if permitted to do so. His head pained him, not acutely, but with a dull, heavy feeling. There was a sinking sensation at the pit of his stomach. He lost all relish for food and much of his interest for things about him. He tried manfully to overcome these feelings, but they seemed stronger than his will. He began to lose flesh rapidly. The father became alarmed and consulted physicians as to the cause of his son's illness, but they were unable to explain. Finally severe sores broke out on his arms and he was taken to Buffalo where a painful operation was performed resulting in the loss of much blood, but affording little relief. The young man returned home and a council of physicians was called. After an exhaustive examination they declared there was no hope of final recovery and that he must die within a very few days. To describe the agony which this announcement caused the father would be impossible. His mind failed to grasp its full meaning at first; then finally seemed to comprehend it, but the load was too great. In an agony of frenzy he seized a knife and took his own life, preferring death rather than to survive his idolized son. At that time William Rindge was too weak to know what was transpiring. His face had turned black, his breath ceased entirely at times, and his friends waited for his death believing that the fiend Bright's disease of the kidneys, from which he was suffering, could not be removed. In this supreme moment William's sister came forward and declared she would make a final attempt to save her brother. The doctors interposed, assuring her that it was useless and that she would only hasten the end by the means she proposed to employ. But she was firm, and putting all back, she approached her brother's side and administered a remedy which she fortunately had on hand. Within an hour he seemed more easy, and before the day was over he showed signs of decided improvement. These favorable signs continued, and to-day William B. Rindge is well, having been virtually raised from the dead through the marvelous power of Warner's Safe Cure, as can be verified by any citizen of Cortland.

Any one who reflects upon the facts above described must have a feeling of sadness. The father dead by his own hand, supposing his son's recovery to be impossible; the son restored to health to mourn the loss of his father and the agonized relatives with a memory of sadness to forever darken their lives. Had Clinton Rindge known that his son could recover he would to-day be alive and happy, but the facts which turned his brain and caused him to commit suicide were such as any one would accept as true.

However sad this case may be, the truth remains that thousands of people are at this moment in as great danger of causing misery if not death to their friends. Liver and kidney diseases are become the most common and the most dangerous of any or all modern complaints. They are the most deceptive in their beginnings and horrible in their final stages. They are far more deceptive than Consumption, and can rarely be detected even by skillful physicians unless a microscopic analysis be resorted to, and few doctors understand how to do this. Their slightest approach should strike terror to the one who is threatened as well as to all his or her friends. These diseases have no distinct symptoms, but come in the form of lassitude, loss of appetite, aching muscles and joints, dull headaches, pain in the back, stomach and chest, sour stomach, recurring signs of cold irregular pulsations of the heart, and frequent dizziness. If neglected, these symptoms are certain to run into chronic kidney and liver or Bright's disease, from which there is sure to be a great amount of agony and only one means of escape, which is by the use of Warner's Safe Cure. The importance of taking this great remedy upon the slightest appearance of any of the above symptoms cannot be too strongly impressed upon the minds of all readers who desire to escape death and pain and prolong life with all its pleasures and blessings.

Assaulting a Priest.

BALTIMORE, May 8.—Serious troubles have existed for some time in the St. Stanislaus Bohemian Church. For over a year the church has been divided into two factions. A year ago the dissatisfied members sent to Europe for a priest to take charge of the church. This morning Father Kuenz, the priest, was attacked in the street by Stephen Norokofski. The latter caught Father Kuenz by the shoulder, and was about to beat him, when John Marchinski, also a member of the church, went to Father Kuenz's assistance. Norokofski was arrested.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

First Grand Excursion of the Season.

Constans Commandery, Knights Templar, of Bellefonte, have projected the first grand excursion of which we have heard this season and will usher in such events in truly royal style. They have planned an excursion to Erie, Niagara Falls, Watkins Glen, Elmira, Williamsport and then home again, which will certainly be very interesting and attractive and will induce a large number to accompany them, for we understand that all who desire to do so can participate with them in this pleasant trip. It will start on the 26th instant and will consume perhaps a week's time. The price of round trip tickets will be $13.30 cents, which, considering the route and the varied attractions, is remarkably low. Those who desire to accompany the excursion should consult the committee of arrangements, among the members of which are Messrs. L. T. Munson, W. F. Reber and F. P. Blair.

P.S.—Mr. Munson informs us that the principal object of the excursion is to attend the Grand Commandery which meets at Erie, and that those who accompany the excursion will remain in Erie until Wednesday, and then return home over the route outlined above.

—We sympathise with the relatives and friends who are now mourning the death of the venerable Robert Hunter, of Benner township, which occurred on Monday, May 5. He was the father of Hon. B. F. Hunter, one of Centre county's representatives in the legislature. His age was 90 years 6 months and 29 days. His funeral occurred last Wednesday.

—Mr. George M. Wolf, a son of Mrs. Rebecca Wolf, of Rebersburg, died on Monday, April 28, in Kansas City, Missouri. The remains were brought to the home of his mother in Rebersburg where the interment took place on Friday, May 2.

Business Notices and Other Items.

—One second-hand carriage, one new top buggy (Bartruff's make), one new two-horse wagon (Bullock's make) for sale on reasonable terms, by James Harris & Co. 16 17 3t

—The new house erected by Mr. John Bartruff, next to Samuel Foster's, has been painted a dark green.

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—Philipsburgers do not appreciate the music of bag pipes.

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—The city editor of the Altoona *Tribune* attended church on Sunday morning.

India mulls, organdies, Victoria lawns, Nainsooks and other summer white goods at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

—The outlook for the fruit crop throughout the State is not considered favorable.

—Curtain poles only 65 cents at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

—In many other communities the picnic has commenced, but in Bellefonte it is rather backward.

—Largest assortment Jerseys at the lowest prices at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

—The wind on Sunday loosened many signs from their fastenings and blew down numerous fences.

—Walnut curtain poles only 65 cents at the Bee Hive. a28daw1w

—A committee of seven from the Y. M. C. A. conducted a meeting in the Lutheran church at Pleasant Gap on Sunday evening.

Gloves and hosiery, largest stock and lowest prices, at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

Embroideries, Irish points and laces, immense stock at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

Persian and Turkish tapestries for lambrequins and portieres, just received at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

—Al. Dale, Esq., has returned from his fishing excursion. He went with one other person to a point about six miles from Howard and together they caught, in one day, 213 fish. This, we fancy, is the best fish record of the season and it behooves other anglers to look carefully to their laurels.

—J. H. Johnston, the Gun Man, or better known as owner and proprietor of the Great Western Gun Works, Pittsburg, Pa., will mail free a large illustrated catalogue of rifles, shot guns, revolvers, &c., &c. He will send you a gun by express. You can examine it at express office, and if not satisfactory return it at his cost. This is certainly a very fair proposition, and is a guarantee of honest dealing.

—Do you intend to accompany the excursion to Erie?

—One second-hand carriage, one new top buggy (Bartruff's make), one new two-horse wagon (Bullock's make) for sale on reasonable terms, by James Harris & Co. 16 17 3t

After the holidays is called the "dull season" by tailors. We are offering extra inducements in low prices. Our orders for woolens have been very large. The new goods are now coming in. Leave your order now.
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—Fans and parasols without end at the Bee Hive. m2eod2waw

It makes a red-nosed man very angry to have a little girl ask him in the presence of others if it hurts any.

Shooting for Health.

There is no recreation that will benefit invalids so much as shooting at target. There is something about it that strengthens the nerves and builds a man up, and with the low price of rifles, shot guns, pistols, &c., it is the cheapest medicine. Send for our illustrated catalogue; it is free. Address Great Western Gun Works, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Young man to druggist—"Can you give me anything to remove superfluous hair?" Druggist (thoughtfully scratching his bald head) "Hem! why don't you get married?"

Facts about Fire-arms.

Although wonderful improvements have been made the cost has been reduced from 40 to 60 per cent. Our illustrated catalogue shows many kinds and gives lowest prices. Send for one, it is free. Great Western Gun Works, Pittsburg, Pa.

Ordered to clear the court, an Irish crier at Ballinasloe did so by this announcement: "Now, then, all ye black-guards that isn't lawyers must lave the court."

In New Quarters.

The Pittsburg Evening *Leader* of April 16th, 1884, contains the following: "Among the more noteworthy removals this spring is that of Drs. Sykes & Moore, the eminent practitioners in chronic diseases. From 191 Penn avenue, where Dr. Sykes located over twenty-six years ago, they have removed to No. 150 Penn avenue, (new number 504), a few rods from their former place. Their new offices are on the ground floor, and are among the finest in the city. Drs. Sykes & Moore are the only physicians in Pittsburg giving exclusive attention to chronic diseases, and none stand higher than they in professional skill and personal probity."

"Why, Sam, how do you expect to get that mule along with a spur only on one side?" Sam: "Well, boss, if I gits dat side to go, ain't de udder one boun' to keep up?"

Crazy Patchwork.

Having a large assortment of remnants and pieces of handsome brocaded silks, satins and velvets, we are putting them up in assorted bundles and furnishing them for "Crazy Patchwork," Cushions, Mats, Tidies, &c., &c. Package No. 1—Is a handsome bundle of silks, satins and brocaded velvets (all different.) *Just the thing for the most superb pattern of fancy work.* Sent post-paid for 50 cents in postal note or 1-cent stamps. Package No. 2—Containing three times as much as package No. 1, sent post paid for $1.00. These are all of the *very finest quality* and cannot be equaled at any other silk works in the U. S. *at three times our price.* They will please any lady. One order always brings a dozen more. *Ladies' Manual of Fancy Work*, with 400 illustrations and full instructions for artistic fancy work, handsomely bound, post-paid, 50 cents. Order now. Address, THE ROCHESTER SILK CO., Rochester, N. Y. 16 18 8t

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, May 13, 1884.

Red Wheat, per bushel	$ 95
Mixed Wheat	90
Buckwheat	50
Rye per bushel	65
Corn (shelled)	60
Oats	35
Cloverseed, fair to good	$5 00
do prime to extra prime	5 50
do choice	6 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	5 50
Flour, wholesale	4 75

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$12 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	8 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	10 00
Short straw per ton	6 00@ 8 00

Provision Market.

Corrected by Valentines Store Co., "Limited."

Apples, dried, per pound	7
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	20
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	20
Chickens per piece	25
Cheese per pound	14 to 17
Country hams per pound	14
Hams, sugar cured	17
Country Bacon	12
Lard per pound	10
Eggs per doz	15
Potatoes, per bushel	45
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	20
Canned tomatoes per can	10—12½—15
Canned corn "	10—12½—15
Lemons per doz	20
Dried sweet corn per pound	07

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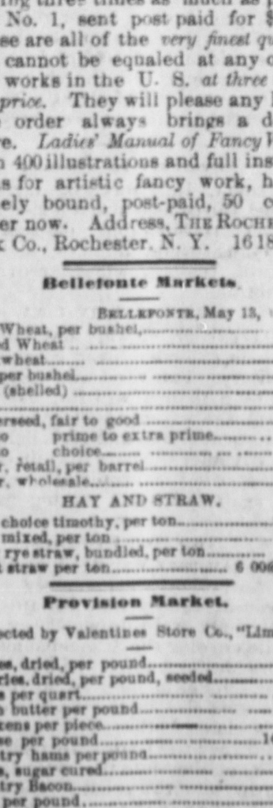

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A Soldier's Description of Forest Fires.

Among the men who engaged in fighting the forest fires which raged throughout the county recently were several war veterans, one of whom writes us as follows:

"Permit me the privilege of giving a brief account of the forest fires that alarmed us all so much on Friday, the 2d inst. A fire had been flanking the mountain for several days previous. It was located north of Wallace' run and occasioned residents of Glenn Harris much uneasiness. The mountains for miles along the south of the run had been cut and logged out, leaving the surface covered with tops of pine and hemlock. Every combustible imaginable was on the ground leading to the farm of Jos. Eckley. At 11.30 o'clock the fire crossed the run some two miles from the Eckley farm. The dense smoke soon alarmed the people south of the mountain and your correspondent started for the scene of the conflagration a few minutes after 12 o'clock. When I reached Mr. Eckley's farm the fire had already burnt all the fences on the north side of his property and also those of Mr. I. Rearick's farm adjoining, and was progressing rapidly. The fields were covered with fire. Meeting the owner, he exclaimed, "What shall I do? How can I replace the fences?" "Go to the house and watch your buildings," was my reply. After saving fences in that direction and believing that the buildings were safe, I went to the west side of the mountain where the fire was raging taking the fences as it went. Your correspondent is an old soldier and has fought the fires on the mountains for the last fifty years, but never witnessed such a forest fire. The heat was intense and the smoke suffocating. The men were exhausted and it seemed that nothing could be done. One half mile below was a building of Mr. Rearick's, near the woods. Our strength was concentrated in the effort to save that. Around me were old privates who had fought with me on many occasions. Giving the word of command we went to work with a will. Fences were cut, a large track cleared and confidence restored. Suddenly a fierce whirlwind carried the flames very near Mr. Rearick's barn, unperceived by your correspondent, but Mr. E. Hugg took command in that section and summoning all to his service, the fire was conquered after about two hours' fight.

On Saturday a strong guard was kept up and the fire effectually controlled. Sunday gladdened many hearts by bringing the much longed for rain. I am informed that Zachariah Holt's house was burned, he saved nothing but his wife and children. About a mile further on the Reese boys, who were operating an extensive bark job, lost everything. One thousand dollars will not cover the loss of fences.

Yours respectfully,
P. H. B.

Gen. James S. Brisbin's Operations in Montana Territory.

The well known soldier and author, Gen. James. S. Brisbin, who is very popular in Bellefonte, being a son-in-law of Mrs. David Wagner, is in command of Fort Keough, Montana, and is one of the best known men in that territory. He has been in the West ever since the close of the civil war with the exception of a few months at a time spent in this place. Last fall he purchased from Major F. D. Pease a ranch of 1200 acres, about eight miles south of Livingstone, of which the Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin* gives us the following information: "It takes six miles of wire fence to inclose three sides of the property, the river inclosing the fourth side. Within the limits of the wire fence sixteen springs of pure, cold limestone water rise and flow into the Yellowstone. There are eight little lakes on this place, with numerous parks of timber, and beautiful drives. Formerly Major Pease kept wild animals on the ranch, his herd of buffalo and elk being known all over the territory.

When James McManes, A. C. Roberts and party took their recent California trip they made an inspection of the place, and were hospitably entertained by Gen. Brisbin, who, since that time, has made numerous improvements on the ranch. This property, which is so beautifully located and so near the entrepot to the National park, has recently been converted into a land company, the title of which is the "Paradise Valley land and improvement company," with a capital of $75,000. Half of the stock is held by the banking house of B. K. Jamison & Co., of Philadelphia, and the other half by Gen. Brisbin. It is to be a close corporation, all the stock being retained by the parties in interest. Mr. Jamison is president, and General Brisbin manager. Improvements of a practical character have been begun.

There are now thirteen people on ranch, all Pennsylvanians, who were recently sent out by direction of the general, who has just perfected plans for carrying out an entensive dairy business. A creamery and a grist mill will be erected shortly, and, as another source of profit, the company will engage in the raising of blooded stock.

Bellefonte to Brisbin.

From Mr. James McClain we have obtained a complete list of the donations made by the citizens of Bellefonte, on Saturday, May 3, to the people of Brisbin. It is proper to explain in this connection that the donation is in no means a correct measure of Bellefonte's liberality as the materials and money were collected hastily and scores of citizens, who happened to be absent from their places of business when the committee called, would have been glad to give. Following is the list:

A. O. Furst	$5 00
Daniel Rhoads	5 00
John B. Linn	2 00
Williams Bros.	10 00
John G. Love	2 00
J. S. Catanach	2 00
W. B. Rankin	10 00
Judge Irwin, Jr.	4 00
Aaron Williams	10 00
Wm. McFarlane	5 00
Frank E. Bible	5 00
Isaac Mitchell	1 00
R. M. McEnally	5 00
W. W. Potter	1 00
E. J. Swaveley	1 00
D. C. Keller	5 00
W. C. Heinle	5 00
Bond Valentine	5 00
George W. Jackson (10 barrels flour)	52 50
D. G. Bush, 1 bbl. flour	5 25
Robert Valentine, 1 bbl. flour	5 25
F. E. Bible (bread and coffee)	3 60
W. F. Reynolds (5 barrels flour)	26 25
J. W. Cook, 1 barrel flour	5 25
H. Y. Stitzer	5 00
William McEwen	1 00
William McIlvaine	1 00
A. Owen	1 00
C. U. Hoffer & Co., meat	5 00
Lyon & Co	1 50
H. K. Hicks	5 00
John Harris	1 00
J. W. Moore	50
J. H. Sands	3 00
S. Lewirs	2 00
J. L. Spangler, 10 bus. potatoes	4 50
John Meese, meat	5 00
Miss Mary Macbride	2 00
F. X. Lehman	5 00
E. Brown, Jr., 1 bbl. flour	5 25
James McCarty	1 00
James McClure	1 00
Joseph Cedars	1 00
Goldsmith Bros	2 50
S. & A. Loeb, 100 lbs. bacon	12 50
William Zellers	1 00
Jas. Harris & Co., bacon and potatoes	16 00
A. C. Mingle	1 00
C. G. McMillen	5 00
J. D. Sourbeck	1 00
J. B. Graham	1 00
A. Garman	1 00
J. M. Keichline	1 00
J. H. Lingle	2 00
J. J. Lingle	1 00
E. T. Tuten	1 00
Chas. Smith, meat	5 00
Dr. R. L. Dartt	4 20
John T. Johnston	2 50
Frank Greist, 1 bbl. flour	5 25
Gerberich, Hale & Co., 6 bbl. flour	31 50
James A. Beaver	25 00
Harper & Weakly, meat	5 25
R. H. Beck (barber)	1 00
Frank B. Stover	1 00
L. A. Shaffer	1 00
J. A. Harper & Co., 1 bbl. flour	5 25
James Schofield	50
John Brachbill's Sons	1 00
J. D. Shuggert	5 00
I. Guggenheimer	50
D. Garman & Son	1 00
V. S. C. L.	2 00
Lawrence L. Brown	2 50
John Anderson	5 00
William Jenkins, meat	5 00
Valentines Store Co., Limited	7 62
Sechler & Co., groceries	10 00
John P. Harris	5 00
Chas. M. Heisler	4 00
D. H. Hastings, 2 barrels flour	10 50
W. R. Teller, " "	10 50
A. O. Furst " "	10 50
R. M. Magee, " "	10 50
J. W. Gephart, " "	10 50
E. M. Blanchard, " "	10 50
Jas. A. McClain, " "	10 50
John Curtin, " "	10 50
H. S. Sayre, " "	10 50
Judge A. Hoy, " "	10 50
Jacob V. Thomas, 1 bbl. flour	5 25
Total	$522 17

—The Mite Society of the Presbyterian church met on Friday evening at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Aikens. There were about fifty persons in attendance and a most enjoyable occasion was the result. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served in bountiful quantity and excellent quality. The financial receipts were highly satisfactory. Mr. and Mrs. Aikens excel in the art of entertaining.

—The moon was full and exceedingly beautiful Friday night.

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Miscellaneous.

NOTICE OF APPEALS.—Appeals will be held for the several townships and boroughs in the Commissioners' office, at Bellefonte, as follows:

MONDAY, JUNE 2d.—For the townships of Rush, Taylor, Worth, Huston, Union and the Boroughs of Philipsburg, Unionville and Milesburg.

TUESDAY, JUNE 3d.—For the townships of Burnside, Snow Shoe, Boggs, Howard, Curtin, Liberty, Marion, Walker and the borough of Howard.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4th.—For the townships of Miles, Haines, Penn, Gregg, Potter and the borough of Millheim.

THURSDAY, JUNE 5th.—For the townships of Harris, College, Ferguson, Half Moon, Patton, Benner, Spring and the borough of Bellefonte.

Between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.

Four mills for county purposes.

JOHN WOLF,
H. C. CAMPBELL, } Commissioners.
A. J. GREIST,
MILES WALKER, Clerk. 16 19 3t

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Estate of John T Stitzer, deceased.—Letters testamentary on the estate of John T. Stitzer, late of Howard Borough, Centre County, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

MARY J. STITZER, Howard, Pa.,
JOHN P. OLEWINE, Bellefonte, Pa., } Executors.
16 19 6t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans Court of Centre County.—Estate of John Heinbach, deceased.—The undersigned auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the Executor of said decedent to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet the parties interested at his office in Bellefonte, Pa., on Tuesday, the 3rd day of June, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time and place all parties are requested to present their claims or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.
16 19 3t WILBUR F. REEDER, Auditor.

NOTICE.—Samuel Musser, of the township of Ferguson and the county of Centre, has applied to the Secretary of Internal Affairs of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for twelve acres of unimproved land situated in said township of Ferguson and county of Centre, bounded by lands of Frederick Gates' estate on the east, Shorb, Stewart & Co. on the south, David Harpster's estate on the west and lands of said Samuel Musser on the north.
16 19tf

REMOVAL!

I would respectfully inform my friends and the public generally that I have removed my place of business to my new building on Water Street, Bellefonte, Centre county, Penn'a, near High Street bridge, and near the depot. The house has been built with a view to the needs of the Gun and Fishing Tackle business. It is my desire to make this establishment second to none in Pennsylvania. To successfully do this I respectfully ask your co-operation. I can sell you anything in my line as cheaply as goods of the same quality can be bought for *anywhere* else. A new stock of FISHING TACKLE just received. GUNS, REVOLVERS, AMMUNITION at astonishingly low prices.

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Nothing Wanting!

SPICES.—The best cook in the land cannot cook successfully without pure, fresh spices. These we have in every variety. Well-seasoned food adds to long life and happiness.

SUGARS AND SYRUPS.—In Sugars and Syrups we have all the best brands in the market. Much of the sugar now sold is adulterated, and in an article of this kind there is great waste. We buy from reliable dealers, and handle only the genuine goods.

TEAS AND COFFEES.—No breakfast can be thoroughly enjoyed without a good cup of coffee or tea. A drink of this kind is stimulating and goes right to the spot. Our Coffees and Teas are fresh and strictly pure. The fragrant odor which escapes from the steaming pot as it comes in from the kitchen will convince you of this. We sell more coffee than any other two houses in the county. Why? Because we sell the best and the people know it.

NUTS, CONFECTIONERY, ETC.—In Nuts and Confectionery we have everything that is nice, and just what will please the young folks, and old folks as well. Our candies are all pure and wholesome; We do not handle the highly-colored, poisonous mixtures that ruin and decay the teeth. We have new Florida oranges (this fall's crop), fine Figs and Prunes, and a choice line of Canned Fruits and Preserves. Bear this in mind when preparing to Celebrate the merry holidays.

We make special mention of the above lines of goods because they are all leading articles at this season of the year. In other lines our stock is equally fresh and complete.

We buy the Best Goods and sell at the Lowest Figures.

Call in and inspect our No. 1 goods. Then you will know where to purchase when your cupboard needs replenishing.

Sechler & Co.,

Bush House Block, Bellefonte, Pa.
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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

The Tariff Bill Dead.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Upon the conclusion of the debate on the tariff bill in the house to-day, the audience which throughout the day had crowded the galleries almost to suffocation, hushed its hum of conversation and watched with intense interest the further proceedings on the floor.

Tellers being ordered, Messrs. Converse and Morrison were appointed by the chair. Before taking his place, Morrison called to the clerk of the house, who was standing by the speaker's desk, and exclaimed, "Clark, see that no scoundrel who is paired go between the tellers." Clark promising to see that fair play should be had, Morrison took his station, giving Converse a very cool shake of the hands, as he stood opposite that gentleman The voting began and the tellers announced the affirmative vote to be 155. The first man to pass through in the negative was Ragan, of Texas, who had been brought in on an invalid chair in order to cast his vote. He was heartily applauded by his friends and received many congratulations upon his apparent recovery from his late severe illness.

The negative vote was announced as 151, and then George DeWise, of Virginia, voted in the affirmative, making the vote stand 156 to 151. Then cheers followed cheers from the republicans side, and the cheers were taken up by the galleries and reverberated from every nook and corner of the hall. Ladies stood up and waved their handkerchiefs and men their hats. Morrison yielding gracefully to the inevitable, walked smilingly to his seat and the tariff bill was dead. On Mr. Converse's motion the committee arose and the chairman reported its action to the house. The speaker stated the question to be on striking out the enacting clause, and Messrs. Morrison and Turner, of Kentucky, calling for yeas and nays it was agreed to—yeas 159, nays 155. Mr. Converse moved to reconsider the vote by which the house decided to strike out the enacting clause, and then moved to lay that motion on the table. The motions were carried by a viva voce vote, and the announcement of this result was received with cheers and applause, though not with so much enthusiasm as the previous announcement.

An analysis of the roll call shows that only three republicans, Nelson, Strait and Wakefield, all of Minnesota, voted against striking out the enacting clause. Forty-one democrats voted in affirmative. They hailed from the following states: New York, Cariot, Hutchinson, Muller, Spriggs, Vanalstyne, Wempli; Pennsylvania, Boyle, Connelly, Curtin, Duncan, Elliott, Ermentrout, Hopkins, Mutchler, Patton, Post, Randall, Storm; Ohio, Converse, Foran, Geddes, Jordan, Lefevere, Murray, Page, Seng, Warner, Wilkins; New Jersey, Ferrill, Fiedler, McAdoo; California, Budd, Glascok, Sumner, Tulleys; Maryland, Findley; Illinois, Finerty; Connecticut, Eaton; Louisiana, Hunt; Virginia, G D. Wise; West Virginia, Snyder.

A Crash in New York.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Marine bank has closed its doors. J. D. Fish is president of the bank. The Marine National bank, No. 80 Wall street, had a capital of $400,000 and a surplus of $225,000. It is stated that the Marine bank was indebted to the Clearing house this morning to the amount of $555,000. Of this sum $250,000 has since been paid in cash, and the bank hopes to raise the other $305,000 today and be reinstated in the bank association to-morrow. The deposits of the bank are over six million dollars. The bank this afternoon made its Clearing house balances good.

Grant & Ward announce their closing on account of the failure of the Marine bank. The firm of Grant & Ward Wall street, comprise General U. S. Grant, James D. Fish, U. S. Grant, Jr., Ferdinand Ward and William C. Smith. The direct cause of the failure of the Marine bank is now attributed to the overdrawing of the account of the firm of Grant, Ward & Co., who, it is said, have been persistent bulls on the market since the commencement of the shrinkage in 1882. General Grant was at the office of Grant, Ward & Co., when the failure of the firm was announced. The General appeared to be in ill health and completely prostrated at the firm's unfortunate speculations It is reported that $500,000 is missing from Grant & Ward, and that there has been a defalcation. Ward is missing, and the vault doors cannot be opened.

Daniel B. Fisher's Failure.

READING, Pa., May 7.—Daniel B. Fisher, of Leesport, against whom executions were issued a few days ago to the amount of $30,000, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to his son-in-law, H. Milton Kaufman, of Leesport. The assignee filed a bond in $100,000 for the faithful performance of the trust. Mr. Fisher's assets are estimated at $300,000 and his liabilities at about $175,000.

An Embezzling Commissioner Sentenced.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 7.—Ex-County Commissioner McKinney Smith, who yesterday entered a plea of guilty to the charge of embezzlement, was to-day sentenced to imprisonment for two years in the eastern penitentiary.

The War on Prohibition.

WICHITA, Kansas, May 4.—Kirby Chapel, belonging to the Methodists of this city, was burned on Friday night. A fire had also been kindled at the base of the steeple of the Presbyterian church. The fires are supposed to have been the work of an incendiary and to have resulted from the enforcement of the prohibition liquor law. The owner of a large skating rink, who had rented the building for a temperance convention, was anonymously notified to cancel the lease. The barn of a prominent prohibitionist was set on fire two or three nights ago and the shade trees of another were ruined. The excitement is intense. The church burned was valued at between $12,000 and $13,000 and was insured for $8,000. The valuable library of the Rev. J. W. Phillips, the pastor of the church, was also burned.

UTICA, May 4.—A fire at Williamstown, Oswego county, this morning, destroyed the Selden House, Post Office, several building blocks and a number of residences. The loss is from $50,000 to $70,000. The fire is regarded as of incendiary origin and the outcome of recent prosecution by Good Templars against the proprietor of hotel for violation of the excise law. The temperance people were at first successful, but a higher court reversed the decision.

Two Hotels Destroyed by Fire.

GAINESVILLE, Fla., May 4.—A fire broke out yesterday in the Varnum House and spread thence across the entire square west of the Court House, destroying every building in its course. The flames then swept across Liberty street, burning the Arlington House, an elegant winter hotel, together with a building in its rear. The estimated value of the buildings consumed, which were mostly of wood, is $40,000. The value of the contents of the buildings cannot be learned to-night The Arlington House was insured for $12,000 and the Varnum House for $2,000. The insurance on the other buildings is not known. There is a rumor that a child was burned to death in one of the buildings The fire is supposed to have been started by a tramp, who was ejected from the Varnum House.

A Million Loss in Elk County.

PITTSBURG, May 5.—Ralph Baglay, president of the Arthur Lumber Company, of this city, returned from the scene of the conflagration in Elk county this morning and reports that the devastation is great. He estimates the loss in Elk county alone at over $1,000,000. The heaviest losers are the mill-owners. Hall & Kraull, of Pine Run, lose $50,000, and D. & L. Otto, of Williamsport, $60,000. The mill of William Goetz, of Swissmont, was entirely destroyed, together with a number of other buildings and a large stock of lumber. Goetz has been missing since Thursday and it is believed he has perished.

Lively Sensation in a Missouri Town.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—At 6 o'clock last evening, at Clayton, ten miles west of here, a village of about one hundred inhabitants, four prisoners knocked down the jailer when he took in their supper, and broke out of jail. An alarm was given, and men, women and children pursued the fugitives, capturing them after a short chase, and after about twenty shots had been exchanged, without harming any one.

Afraid of Union Men.

BUFFALO, May 5.—While a car load of Italian laborers was being hauled to the dock union men boarded the car and uncoupled it from the engine The Italians fled and the unionists had scattered when the police arrived. The representatives of the Central labor bureau in New York will not be allowed by the contractors to communicate with the Italians. He says the men were hired in Italy.

Thousands of Refugees.

ASSOUAN, May 5.—Two thousand refugees have reached here from Korasko and more are coming. The daily evacuation of Korasko is proceeding quietly. Refugees from Khartoum are expected here in a few days. Several Bedouin sheiks and tribes escorted Col. Wortley, of the Egyptian army, in a reconnoisance along the banks of the Nile to maintain communication between Assouan and Dongola.

The Tubbercurry Invincibles.

LONDON, May 5.—In the trial of Fitzgerald and others, at Sligo, today, Morgan deposed that P. S. Sheridan was the founder and active worker of the branch of Invincibles at Tubbercurry and that P. N. Fitzgerald was his lieutenant and acted under orders from Sheridan.

Suspension in Iron Mills.

PITTSBURG, May 5.—Oliver Bros. and Phillips' three mills suspended operations to-day, and it is said will not resume until the wages question is settled. This action indicates that the manufacturers are determined to enforce the reduction. The workmen show no signs of yielding.

SCROFULA.—A medicine that destroys the germs of Scrofula and has power to root it out is appreciated by the afflicted. The remarkable cures of men, women and children as described by testimonials, prove Hood's Sarsaparilla a reliable medicine containing remedial agents which eradicate Scrofula from the blood. 100 doses $1.00. Sold by all dealers. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Think It Over.

It will only cost you the postage on a letter to write to Drs. Starkey & Palen, 1109 Girard street, Philadelphia, and get their opinion of your case, if you are suffering from any form of disease which your physician has failed to cure, as consumption, neuralgia, catarrh, rheumatism, etc. state it clearly and they will answer promptly, honestly telling you, in view of all the conditions you state, whether they believe Compound Oxygen will do you any good. At the same time they will send you documents containing a history of the discovery of this remarkable substance and a large record of cures which have been made during the last thirteen years, from which you will be able to judge for yourself of its claim upon your confidence.

The census proves that the number of persons in a family in this country is a small fraction over five. In some families the husband is the small fraction over.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth! If so, send at once and get a bottle of **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.** Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething** is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price **25 cents a bottle.** 15 22 1y

A wicked young man says that he never will, upon any consideration whatever, believe that a pretty girl knows what a kiss means till he has it from her own mouth.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 *Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.* 1537-1yeow

There are three terrible diseases now before married men, namely: Spring fever, Spring bonnets and Spring house-cleaning.

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching; very distressing, particularly at night; seems as if pinworms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. If allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure. Also, for tetter, Itch, salt-rheum, scald-head, erysipelas, barbers' itch, blotches, all scaly, crusty skin diseases. Box, by mail, 50 cts.; 3 for $1.25. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists. may6 1y

Spring may be postponed on account of the weather, but that new spring bonnet, never.

Liver, Kidney or Stomach Trouble.

Symptoms: Impure blood, costive bowels, irregular appetite, sour belching, pains in side, back and heart, yellow urine, burning when urinating, clay-colored stools, bad breath, no desire for work, chills fever, irritability, whitish tongue, dry cough, dizzy head, with dull pain in back part, loss of memory, foggy sight. For these troubles "SWAYNE'S PILLS" are a sure cure. Box, (30 pills) by mail, 25 cts; 5 for $1 00. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists. 16 14 1y

A Southern editor asserts that angels are all blondes, but blondes are not all angels. It is painfully apparent that his wife is not a brunette.

London Hair Restorer—Great English.

Toilet article. Restores growth, color, gloss, and softness. Removes dandruff. Aristocratic families of Great Britain endorse it. Elegant dressing. Fragrantly perfumed. The favorite of fashion. At druggists for 3s 1½d, or 75 cts. in U. S. money. 16 14 1y

A man and his wife had a little difficulty in the kitchen the other day, and presently matters became so quiet that you could hear a rolling-pin drop.

FITS.—All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. 15 22 1y

A woman always carries her purse in her hand so that other women will see it; a man carries his in his inside pocket so that his wife won't see it.

WARNER'S SAFE KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE

Sales.

TREASURER'S SALE OF UNSEATED LANDS FOR TAXES FOR 1882 AND 1883 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.—Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1815, entitled "An Act to amend an Act, directing the mode of selling unseated lands in Centre county," and the several supplements thereto, there will be exposed at public sale or outcry, the following tracts of unseated lands in said county for the taxes due and unpaid thereon, at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, on Monday, June 9th, A. D. 1884, at one o'clock, p. m.:

BENNER TOWNSHIP.

ACRES.	PER.	WARRANTEE NAMES.	TAXES.
58.....		.....Holmas, Robt..... ..	2 04
100.. ..		.....Dale, Christ Sr., (owner)	4 90

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

143.....		.....Dale, Ann part.....	14 27
383.....	163	.....Frazier, Nolbros.....	25 83
433.....	163	.....Fishburn, Hannah.....	41 91
433.....	163	.....Gray, Wm..... ..	38 95
431.....	137	.....Godfrey, Martha.....	45 12
433.....	163	.....Harvey, Jonathan.....	28 86
418.....	40	.....Hood, Wm.....	42 86
431.....	40	.....Hood, Moses.....	33 87
181.....		.....Lucas, J. M. & J. P. Packer.....	24 60
433.....	163	.....Lewis, David..... ..	43 55
300.....		.....M'Coy, Frank.....	30 30
80.....		.....Packer & Lucas.....	5 04
458.....	84	.....Russel, Wm.....	31 13
433.....	163	.....Russel, Thomas.....	29 42
50.....		.....Walker, Jon. (owner)...	4 50
46		.....Leathers, Jacob (owner)	2 11
383.....	163	.....Weiss, Michael.....	29 69

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

415		.....Black, James.....	9 34
433.....	163	.....Brady, Robt.....	19 44
433.....	163	.....Brady, Wm P.....	9 72
433.....	163	.....Brady, John.....	9 72
433.....	163	.....Bell, Wm.....	12 96
433.....	153	.....Bingham, Wm.....	66 99
415.....		.....Boyd, John.....	18 67
433.....	163	.....Byers, John.....	19 59
433.....	163	.....Cook, Wm.....	19 44
433.....	163	.....Cowdon, John.....	12 96
433	163	.....Dewart, Wm.....	6 48
433.....	163	.....Dewart, John	6 48
433.....	163	.....Donelly, Henry.....	6 48
433.....	163	.....Donelly, John.....	12 96
433.....	163	.....Fox, Sam'l M.....	12 96
433.....	163	.....Gray, Robt.....	6 48
433.....	163	.....Gray, Wm.....	6 48
433.....	163	.....Grant, Thomas.....	12 96
433.....	163	.....Graves, Alex.....	12 96
433.....	163	.....Goben, Charles.....	6 48
433.....	163	.....Hamilton, Thomas.....	12 96
140.....		.....Harris, Henry.....	12 60
433.....	153	.....Harrison, Geo.....	19 52
433.....	163	.....Housel, John.....	12 96
433.....	153	.....Hunt, Person.....	45 47
433.....	163	.....Kidd, John	10 35
415.....		.....Levy, Nathaniel.....	12 43
433.....	163	.....Lyon, John.....	12 96
433	153	.....McLanahan, Blair	19 52
433.....	153	.....McLanahan, Geo.....	45 46
433.....	153	.....McLanahan, Polly.....	45 46
433.....	153	.....McLanahan, Ann.....	45 46
433.....	150	.....Mead, Geo.....	64 93
200.....		.....Miller, Wm.....	6 00
433.....	163	.....Morris, Joseph.....	12 96
433.....	153	.....Nicholson, John.....	38 98
233.....	153	.....Pettit, And.....	39 47
433.....	163	.....Shaffer, Henry.....	12 96
415.....		.....Tallman, Sarah M.....	12 43
433.....	153	.....Tench, Francis.....	32 54
433	163	.....Towers, James.....	9 72
415.....		.....Thomas, Joseph.....	12 43
415.....		.....Wallace, Joseph	9 34
433.....	163	.....Wallace, Joseph.....	12 96
415		.....Weitzel, John.....	11 47
415.....		.....Weidner, Jacob.....	37 23
123.....		.....Wheeler, Henry	3 66
433.....	163	.....Wilson, Bird.....	12 86
204.....		.....Withington. Martin ..	3 05

COLLEGE TOWNSHIP.

421.....		.....Johnston, Ross.....	15 43

CURTIN TOWNSHIP.

434.....		.....Ainsley, Robt.....	50 69
415.....		.....Allen, Chas.....	80 90
376.....		.....Baird, Samuel.....	38 35
185.....		.....Brady, Wm P.....	37 92
397.....		.....Carscadden, D.....	45 78
337.....		.....Coats, Lindley	23 00
150		.....Custer, Paul.....	13 74
30.....		.....Curtin, John	3 98
200.....	129	.....Carscadden, D.....	14 60
311.....		.....Debaven, Peter 3/4	52 82
106.....		.....Devling, Joseph.....	12 40
434.....		.....Devling, Joseph.....	50 78
135.....		.....Donald, Henry.....	33 60
311.....		.....Evans, Cadwalder.....	52 82
415.....		.....Elliot, Wm	70 44
415.....		.....Eddy, Ester.....	82 84
448.....	99	.....Epple, And.....	73 38
415.....		.....Gray, Robt.....	64 24
415.....		.....Gray, Wm.....	64 24
415.....		.....Gilbert, Wm.....	82 90
360.....		.....Godfrey, Martha.....	83 00
300.....	142	.....Godfrey, John W	44 10
120.....		.....Hahn, Peter.....	12 24
415.....		.....Hahn, Susan	64 24
60.....		.....Hollowell, Ed.....	11 20
142.....		.....Humphrey, Thos.....	14 47
203.....		.....Irvin, James.....	39 12
389¾....		.....Kelso, Joseph.....	56 80
403.....		.....Kelso, Rebecca.....	60 18
400.....		.....Kelso, Joseph.....	48 00
200		.....Lane, Mary.....	23 20
150.....		.....Lane, Sarah.....	41 50
415.....		.....Levy, Nathaniel.....	82 90
207½....		.....Lowns, Caleb.....	32 46
207½....		.....Longstreth, Isaac.....	38 56
207½....		.....Lowns, Caleb.....	38 26
207½....		.....Longstreth, Isaac.....	38 26
70.....		.....Mason, John S.....	12 32
450.....		.....McCauley, John.....	45 11
200.....		.....Meyer, Philip.....	47 00
100.....		.....Meyer, Simon.....	23 50
420.....	48	.....Meyer, Michael.....	95 80
420.....		.....Meyer, Valentine.....	95 80
196.....		.....Miller, James.....	29 12
48.....		.....Mitchell, Wm P.....	46 60
434.....		.....Mitchell, Wm P.....	49 78
220.....		.....Mitchell, Wm P.....	25 74
290.....		.....Mitchell, John P.....	33 93
110.....		.....Meyers, Royer.....	6 49
313.....	112	.....Orvis, Ellis L.....	36 64
434.....		.....Packer, J W.....	49 78
42.....		.....Packer, J W.....	4 91
15.....		.....Packer, J W.....	1 50
110.....		.....Packer, W M.....	12 87
326.....		.....Packer, J W.....	38 14
52.....		.....Quigley, Cline.....	5 54
100.....		.....Smith, Peter.....	16 20
433.....	153	.....Scott, Samuel.....	86 88
433.....	163	.....Tallman, Mary.....	50 78
200		.....Tunis, Richard.....	20 40
200.....		.....Tunis, Richard.....	19 80
415.....		.....Wain, Jacob.....	41 04
217.....		.....Wharton, Fishburn.....	35 50
217.....		.....Wharton, Fishburn.....	35 50
160.....		.....Willis, Jonathan	11 10
415.....		.....Wistar, Caspar.....	114 90
433.....	163	.....White, James.....	91 96
160.....		.....Willis, Jonathan.....	11 10
461.....		.....Yardley, Wm.....	47 00

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

100.....		.....Burchfield, Wm.....	5 05
10.....		.....Hicks, Abram.....	1 42
190.....		.....Thomas, Peacock (ow'r)	12 00

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

130.....		.....Askin, Robt.....	4 68
110.....		.....Mosely, Jacob.....	2 65
130.....		.....Mercer, John.....	4 03
120.....		.....Reese, Daniel.....	4 99
150.....		.....Zeigler, Michael.....	7 79
52.....		.....A Custer's est (owner).	3 09

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

363.....	60	.....Barr, Thomas.....	6 51
406.....	60	.....Barr, Margt.....	7 25
87.....		.....Barrows, John of.....	1 20
375.....	60	.....Barr, James.....	6 73
388.....	60	.....Barr, Mary.....	6 92
154.....		.....Beck, Henry.....	2 96
446.....	28	.....Dudbridge, Hannah.....	5 92
181.....		.....Fees, Jacob.....	2 49
406.....	89	.....Gratz, Michael.....	7 23
400.....		.....Gratz, Bernard	5 35
262.....	140	.....Gillman, H & S Snyder	17 06
253.....		.....Gillman, H & S Snyder	12 93
435.....		.....Hall, Chas.....	16 90
400.....	60	.....Links, Mary.....	7 20
106.....		.....Lowery.....	1 38
200.....		.....Parker, Wm.....	1 78
170.....		.....Stover & Wolf.....	3 04
88.....		.....Fidd, Wm.....	83
150.....		.....D Hensel (owner).....	1 33
125.....		.....D Hensel (owner).....	1 10
25.....	139	.....Wiess, John & Sol Nidigh.....	45

HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.

48		.....Beck, Danl.....	13 66
95.....		.....Keith, Jacob.....	28 40
216.....		.....Lamburn, Josiah.....	32 28
24.....		.....Jacob Vanpool (owner)	4 96
63.....	89	.....C Vanpool "	9 33
67.....	76	.....C Vanpool "	11 52
45.....		.....C Vanpool "	3 08

HARRIS TOWNSHIP.

400.....		.....Andre, Absolom.....	3 80
133.....		.....Fox, Geo.....	1 89
400.....		.....Harrison, Wm.....	3 80
50.....		.....Irvin, John	1 22
400.....		.....Parker, Richard.....	3 80
400.....		.....Read, James.....	3 80
407.....	92	.....Wharton, Kearney.....	4 93
100.....		.....Young, Saml.....	96

HOWARD TOWNSHIP.

107.....	104	.....Brown, Saml.....	6 68

Sales.

136.....	92	.....Harris, Jas D.....	3 81
55.....		.....Harris, Jas D.....	2 09
160.....		.....Willis, Jon, S E End..	14 32
160		.....Willis, Jonathan.....	14 31

HUSTON TOWNSHIP.

433.....	163	.....Barter, James.....	25 10
120		.....Kuhn, Adam.....	8 88
59.....		.....Kuhns.....	4 34
433.....	163	.....Price, John.....	25 10
433.....	163	.....Rollington, John.....	35 11
433.....	163	.....Wheeland, John.....	25 11

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

166.....		.....Hayes, Robt & Jas.....	25 95
171.....		.....Hess, Geo D.....	10 87
309.....	3	.....Irvin, Robt.....	29 64
310.....		.....Jackson, Jere.....	22 63
180.....		.....Lytle, Peter.....	6 80
150.....		.....Lytle, Peter.....	6 65
175.....		.....Quigley, James A.....	10 56
168.....		.....Shaw & Lingle.....	8 21
349.....		.....Smith, Christian.....	16 72

MARION TOWNSHIP.

17.....		.....Lewis, Robt.....	4 07
37.....	100	.....McKinney, David.....	6 20
70.....		.....Rohrer, Chris.....	18 06
50.....		.....Wm Tilghman (owner)	12 90
100.....		.....J P Harris "	12 30
19.....		.....Isaac Frain "	7 04
28.....		.....John Zeigler "	7 98
60.....		.....Yerger, Simon.....	4 02
60.....		.....Yerger, Simon.....	4 02
200.....		.....Young, Robt.....	22 80

MILES TOWNSHIP.

430.....		.....Brady, Robt.....	7 94
413.....		.....Brady, Hannah.....	7 56
255.....		.....Brady, Jane.....	4 70
200.....		.....Brady, John.....	3 70
440.....		.....Brady, Wm P.....	8 14
146.....		.....Brady, Wm.....	2 66
424.....		.....Calhoun, Geo.....	7 80
403.....		.....Carothers, James.....	7 42
150.....		.....Cooper, Wm.....	2 78
320.....		.....Fearon, Joseph.....	5 92
429.....		.....Gray, Robt.....	7 88
476.....		.....Grant, Thomas.....	8 78
203.....		.....Hamer, Wm.....	5 77
460.....		.....Hunter, Alex.....	8 50
430.....		.....Jackson, Jeremiah.....	6 28
320.....		.....Kitts, Geo.....	5 92
300		.....Levy, Aaron.....	5 45
425		.....Norton, Saml.....	7 83
300.....		.....Parker, Wm.....	5 54
324.....		.....Parker, Richard.....	5 98
324.....		.....Parker, Jeremiah.....	5 98
58		.....Parker, Wm.....	1 03
125.....		.....Stedman, Wm.....	2 91
200.....		.....Smith, Thomas.....	3 70
100.....		.....Scott, Abraham.....	1 84
50.....		.....Scott, Saml.....	91
150.....		.....Scott, Abraham.....	2 77
90.....		.....Scott, Sam'l.....	1 65
130.....		.....Taggert, Robert.....	2 39
275.....		.....Tripp, John.....	5 07
425.....		.....Toland, Henry.....	7 83
100.....		.....Long, C (owner).....	1 75
125.....		.....Wharton, Moore.....	2 38
425.....		.....William, David.....	7 82

PENN TOWNSHIP.

150.....		.....Armstrong, James.....	6 00
150	10	.....Cowdon, John.....	6 00
112.....	19	.....Cowdon, John	3 91
150.....		.....Hamilton, Thomas.....	6 00
150.....		.....Hepburn, James.....	6 00
116.....	31	.....Hepburn, James.....	4 08
150.....		.....Kennedy, John.....	6 00
150.....		.....Kennedy, James.....	6 00
104.....	89	.....Kennedy, And.....	3 62
108.....	131	.....Kennedy, John.....	3 72
113.....	8	.....Kennedy, James.....	3 81
200.....		.....Lyon, Robert.....	8 00
200		.....Lyon, Ezekial.....	8 00
208		.....Lyon, Benj.....	8 00
100.....		.....Montgomery, Wm.....	4 00
100.....		.....Montgomery, Dan'l.....	4 00
200.....		.....M'Calley, Wm.....	8 00
200... ..		.....McCalley, John.....	8 00

POTTER TOWNSHIP.

288.....		.....Bound, Mary.....	4 66
81	111	.....Cameron, Alex.....	1 49
132.....		.....Carothers	2 10
0.....		.....Fullmer, H B	64
400		.....Garigus, Edward.....	5 69
400.....		.....Garigus, Wm.....	5 69
400.....		.....Harrison, Wm.....	8 04
40.....		.....Livingstone.....	74
105.....		.....McClellan, Geo.....	1 67
70		.....Peck, Jos.....	1 49
90.....		.....John Bitner (owner)...	1 01

SPRING TOWNSHIP.

186.....	115	.....Purdon, John.....	6 14
300.....		.....Robison, Catharine.....	9 90
300.....		.....Robison, Rebecca.....	9 90
150.....		.....Robison, Richard	4 97
96.....	66	.....Fool, Henry.....	6 60
92.....	102	.....Thornburg, Thomas...	6 60
100.....		.....J Gordon (owner).....	3 30
75.....		.....Emeline Whitney (owner)	7 42

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.

433.....		.....Byard, And.....	107 79
433.....	153	.....Bingham, Wm.....	80 95
433.....	153	.....Brunt, Felix.....	80 95
60.....		.....Clymer, Geo.....	8 46
433.....	153	.....Campbell, Geo.....	80 95
412.....	44	.....Carscadden, David.....	67 56
412.....	44	.....Carscadden, David.....	77 04
287.....	86	.....Carscadden, David.....	47 06
433.....	153	.....Cox, Paul.....	80 95
433.....	153	.....Cuthburt, Thos.....	80 95
433.....	153	.....Cunningham, D H	78 44
433	153	.....Delaney, Sharp.....	80 95
300.....		.....Develing, Joseph.....	39 90
218.....		.....Dobson, Sam'l.....	27 89
433.....		.....Eddy, Geo.....	45 48
200.....		.....Fitzsimmons, Thos.....	23 60
433.....	163	.....Fox, Sam'l M.....	86 58
433.....	163	.....Fisher, James C.....	71 00
433.....	163	.....Fisher, Sam'l W	80 95
60.....		.....Gray, Robert.....	8 46
200.....		.....Higby, Jos.....	36 80
383.....		.....Hale, James T.....	67 18
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433.....	153	.....Hawthorn, Thos	80 95
433.....	153	.....Hanthorn, James.....	80 95
433.....	153	.....Lewis, Wm.....	80 95
433.....	153	.....Lewis, Wm lawyer ...	80 95
433.....		.....Linn, Sam'l.....	70 99
353.....		.....Ligget, John.....	57 87
400.....		.....Long, J Z.....	60 40
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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—Memorial day, May 30.

—Gregg Post, G. A. R., are the possessors of a large and elegant new flag.

—The young ladies at the Telephone Exchange, unlike many society people, answer all "calls."

—Bishop Howe, of the Episcopal church, confirmed 46 persons in Williamsport on Sunday, May 4.

—Tents are being shipped from the State department in Harrisburg to the homeless people in Brisbin.

—Never mind the railroads; the Band and Base Ball Associations now have undisputed possession of the track.

—Rev. Mr. Palmer, of the A. M. E. church, Williamsport, arrived in Bellefonte on the 5 o'clock train Wednesday.

—The Williamsport Y. M. C. A. celebrated its eighteenth anniversary on Sunday, May 4. The association is in a flourishing condition.

—Mrs. Matthias McCloskey, of Mount Eagle, this county, died on Friday afternoon, May 2, and was buried on Sunday, the 4th.

—The construction of a telephone line between Bellefonte and Lewistown is now in progress. Mr. A. C. Crawford has the contract for the work.

—Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Shaffer returned from a visit to Howard on Tuesday, May 6, and departed next morning for their new home in Central Iowa.

—Messrs Rhoads and Bailey, both of whom are in high official station in the Bell Telephone and Supply Company, spent Tuesday, May 6, in Bellefonte.

—Mr. S. A. Stover, the marble man, offers a reward for the detection of any one who defaces the monuments and tombstones in his marble yard with tobacco juice.

—27 cents reward. Lost, on the street Wednesday, a novel garment, that is worn as an overcoat or used as an umbrella cover. The above reward will be paid for its return to the owner, E. J. Swaveley.

—The *Daily Democrat*, of Lock Haven has been devoting much of its energy of late to the attempted extermination of the gambling places of that city. We most heartily wish it succees in its undertaking. It is a work of which every moral citizen should approve.

—Rev. J. F. Delong, of the Reformed church, has consented to deliver the memorial sermon on the Sunday preceeding Memorial day. The date will be Sunday, May 25. Gregg Post, G. A. R., and perhaps other organizations of a similar character will attend the church in a body on the morning of that day.

—There are some expert base ballists in Bellefonte who won't unite with it until the nine yet to be organized shall challenge and defeat some League or Association Club. We suggest that the New York nine be the first one challenged as a victory won from it would give the Bellefonte nine an enviable reputation.

—An inspection of Company B, N. G., will be conducted in the Armory on Wednesday evening of this week. After the inspection an election of second lieutenant, to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of Lieut. H. S. Hale as adjutant, will take place. In view of this very important meeting of the Company, Captain Mullen desires a full attendance.

—There were five applications for teachers' permanent certificates received by the committee which was in session in this place on the 2d and 3d instants, but only one of the applicants, Mr. Morrison, appeared in person. The result of the examination will be sent to Harrisburg and examined by the proper authorities. The committee were highly pleased with Mr. Morrison's work.

—The county convention of school directors met in the Court House at one o'clock on Tuesday, the 6th, and re-elected Prof. D. M. Wolf to the position of county superintendent for another term of three years. He had no opposition. A majority of the directors also signed the temperance ladies' petition to the legislature for the enactment of a temperance education law. The convention was small, only about thirty directors being present.

—Mr. R. C. Irvin desires everybody to be prepared to donate flowers on Memorial day to render the floral decorations of the exercises of that occasion a complete success. In years past the pupils of the public schools have been particularly active in procuring beautiful flowers for this purpose and as this season promises to be prolific in the supply of flowers it is hoped that they will excell their former efforts.

A Boom for a Band.

On Wednesday evening a goodly number of the citizens of Bellefonte met in the Undine hose house for the purpose of organizing a band, the result of the meeting being very satisfactory.

John I. Rankin, Esq., was elected president and called the meeting to order. Mr. J. C. Dare was chosen secretary.

Those who were willing to become members of a band were requested to signify the fact by signing their names to a list prepared expressly for that purpose. Eighteen signed as follows: W. H. Derstine, J. S. Lyon, J. F. Derstine, Jacob Flack, Scott Lose, David Flack, Thomas Shaughensey, Thos. Newell, S. A. Stover, George Hazell, George Glenn, Frank Baney, J. H. Fellenbaum, George B. Johnston, Hard P. Harris, Chas. Richards, I. Sternberg, J. C. Dare.

A committee of five was appointed to raise money towards the organization of a band. The committee consists of Al. Garman, F. X. Lehman, S. H. Williams, Samuel Lewins and C. G. McMillen. The paper on which subscribers will place their names contains the following form of agreement:

"We, the undersigned, agree to pay the several sums set opposite our respective names, for the purpose of organizing, incorporating and equipping a cornet band in Bellefonte, no part of which sums is to be paid until said band is organized, incorporated and the contract made for the instruments, when the sums are to be paid to the regularly elected treasurer."

Of course, the more wealthy, enterprising and liberal citizens will be visited first. It will be proper for them to welcome the committee cordially and give the largest sums their means will afford. Don't let one public-spirited man refuse his aid. With proper encouragement Bellefonte will have one of the finest bands in Central Pennsylvania. A considerable sum of money should be easily raised toward this object.

The secretary was requested to write to several of the prominent manufacturers of musical instruments and obtain price lists, thus gaining an idea of the probable cost of the instruments to be purchased.

Memorial Day Committees.

The success of the proceedings on Memorial Day will depend largely on the active work of the committees having the several departments of the work in charge. That our readers may know where the praise or blame properly belongs we publish the committees as follows:

Committee on Procuring an Orator: Comrades Jno. B. Linn, Jno. G. Love, Amos Mullen and Geo. F. Harris.

Committee on procuring flags and handles and preparing the same for graves, and also for securing means of conveying the flags, handles and flowers to the cemeteries: Comrades William Jones, Jas. H. Rankin, Chas. A. Glenn and Jesse Stewart.

Committee on procuring flowers: H. A. Williams, Geo. A. Bayard, Geo. G. Tate, Geo. Weaver, Chas. Eckenroth and R. C. Irvin.

Committee on marking graves and decorating Friends and Catholic cemeteries: Comrades D. S. Keller, Geo. F. Harris, T. R. Benner, Amos Mullen, John. I. Curtin, John Noll, D. F. Fortney, David Bartley and all others who can assist.

Committee on music, vocal and instrumental: Comrades Jas. H. Rankin, D. M. Glenn, Frank Wallace and S. H. Williams.

Committee on Memorial sermon, to be delivered on the Sunday preceeding May 30: Comrades Jas. H. Rankin, Wm. Jones and H. B. Pontius.

H. H. Benner, Commander,
Jas. H. Rankin, Adjutant.

—The coal miners' strike at Snow Shoe continues without any signs of yielding on the part of either the miners or employers. When the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company purchased the mines at Snow Shoe a ten per cent. reduction was considered, but when the miners ceased work for that reason and also because of dissatisfaction with the company store and physician, these grievances, we understand, were remedied by concessions on the part of the owners of the mines. But since then other circumstances, the nature of which we do not understand, have brought about the present strike. It is, of course, quite a serious matter for the miners to be idle so long and the coal transportation from Snow Shoe has almost entirely ceased, to the great detriment of the company. Will not the employers and workmen submit their difficulty to a board of arbitration organized in accordance with the specifications of the bill introduced by Senator Wallace and adopted by the recent legislature?

—Saturday, May 3, was a tremendous day for business in Bellefonte. If you don't believe it consult any one of the business men in our borough.

Railroads Revived.

A few days ago it seemed that the Beech Creek and Bellefonte R. R. enterprise was as dead as it could possibly be, but when we hear, as we did recently, a Pennsylvania railroad man say that it looks more favorable for the success of the undertaking of this rival company than it ever did before, we conclude that the institution is not so defunct after all. It has now taken the shape of a local company, among the prominent investors in which Senator Wm. A. Wallace, Mr. Philip Collins, and four or five Bellefonte gentlemen are mentioned. We hear with particular pleasure of two of Bellefonte's wealthiest gentlemen uniting in this enterprise who have heretofore held aloof from it.

We consider it premature at this time to mention the names of the Bellefonte gentlemen, each of whom is willing to invest a large sum of money in this enterprise, because the affair is really in an embryotic condition and will require the most careful culture to develop it. Mr. Philip Collins, as was expected, arrived in Bellefonte on Tuesday, the 6th, and the arrangements will probably take more definite shape.

The Bellefonte, Nittany & Lemont R. R. Company have considered the twelve or fifteen proposals for the erection of the ten miles of railroad projected by that company between Bellefonte and Lemont and the following will show that five of them have been accepted: Mr. Chas. McCafferty's proposal has been accepted for sections 1 and 2; Mr. Geo. Good, of Lock Haven, for sections 3, 4 and 5; Messrs. Jackman & Batchelor, of Lock Haven, for sections 6 and 7; Messrs. Shipman & Walls, of Lewisburg, for sections 8 and 9, and Messrs. Vandyke & Wilson, the present contractors of the Spring Mills and Lemont railroad, for section 10. Hon. L. A Mackey, of Lock Haven, brought the information regarding the acceptance of these proposals to town last week.

Death of a Respected Citizen.

On Monday afternoon, the 5th, about 4 o'clock Mr. John Uhl, who resided in the vicinity of the Howard street cemetery, breathed his last. He was about 60 years of age and leaves seven children three of whom are married. The disease which caused his death seemed to be one of those complicated affections of the stomach so frequent of late and so little understood. During recent years he had suffered severely, and while death is regarded by all as an unwelcome visitor, it certainly relieved Mr. Uhl of great pain and discomfort. The deceased was also afflicted during his lifetime with cataract of the eye, but whether that had any connection with the disease which ended his life is uncertain.

We believe Mr. Uhl was born in Germany. He came to this country many years ago and during 25 years he lived on ex-Sheriff D. Z. Kline's farm. It was not over six months ago that he moved to the place of residence where his death occurred. Indeed, the house is not yet entirely finished, and he did not survive to enjoy the home in which he hoped to live many pleasant years.

The funeral services over the body of the deceased took place at 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday.

Band of Hope.

The Band of Hope meeting in the Boys' Branch at Association Hall last week was one of the best that has been held. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. E. M. Blanchard, Mrs. Isaac Mitchell, Mrs. John P. Harris, Mrs. R. V. Pugh, and Miss Clara Valentine, representatives of the W. C. T. U. Mr. John Blanchard presided at the piano. A short catechetical temperance lesson was conducted by Mrs. Mitchell, and a review by Mrs. Blanchard. Clara Roberts recited a selection entitled "Prohibition." Charley Hughes recited "Work." Both were very well rendered. Several small boys participated in a dialogue, one of the boys representing the monster rum. After the regular exercises were over Mr. Blanchard was called upon for a speech, but he responded by saying that he was not a public speaker, but he noticed Mr. Francis Speer in the room, and would call upon him. Mr. Speer responded in a stirring speech, giving the boys some excellent advice. The ladies are deserving of great credit for the good work they are accomplishing among the boys and girls and it is heartily appreciated by both as is evidenced by their attendance on the first Monday evening of each month.

—The following periodicals were received recently at the Y. M. C. A. reading room. Several copies of "Harper's Young People," and "Youth's Companion," from Mrs. R. V. Pugh; The "National Live Stock Journal," from Mr. Isaac Haupt.

[Communicated.]

To the Editor:

By accident, I became a witness to a bit of real life that so clearly taught its lesson, and so indelibly impressed itself upon one, that I cannot restrain the impulse to give your readers the benefit of it. The hour almost eleven. The moon struggling with the passing clouds, sheds a pale, dim light upon the almost deserted street. From the shadow of a building steals the shrinking, timid figure of a woman. In her face is plainly depicted suffering, dread, agony, fear. What can be her object at this unseemly hour? Wait and see. Out from a brilliantly lighted saloon, comes the noise of a boisterous mirth. Why does she pass and repass this lighted door? Why does her gaze so longingly rest upon its closed portals? Timidly she steals closer and, until in a frenzy of despair, her eye is placed to the key hole. Need I tell you that above the din of the revelry within her quick ear has recognized the well known voice of a loved one. But oh, my dear reader, who can fathom the *depth*, of her agonized, mortified distress as she waits, patiently, lovingly waits, the egress of her drunken lord and master? This is but *one* of the many sad and distressing scenes enacted upon our streets, and in our *homes* of Bellefonte, night after night, brought about through the unholy traffic, a *license for which* we are pleading in our court rooms. Oh, ye men who are pleading for that which is bringing to your brothers and sisters *misery untold*, cannot, oh, cannot your hearts be touched by a relation of these facts? "He that loveth not his brother whom he hath seen how can he love God whom he hath not seen?" At the bar of God there will be none to plead for those of us who have not manifested our love to Him by our love for our brother here. Oh, may the great God of Heaven and Earth send through His Holy Spirit conviction into your hearts and lead you to seek for the baptism of love which 'worketh no ill to his neighbor."

From a Friend.

Temperance Instruction in the Schools.

One of the chief objects aimed at by the Centre county branch of the W. C. T. U. is to secure scientific temperance instruction in the schools and with this object they, together with the organizations in all parts of Pennsylvania have decided to make a vigorous effort during the coming year to secure from the State Legislature a law providing for compulsory temperance education in all schools supported by public money. The law will require systematic instruction in these schools in Physiology and Hygiene, with special reference to the affects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system. Already such a law has been secured in New Hampshire, Vermont, Michigan and New York. Iowa, Ohio, Massachusetts and Indiana are working earnestly in the same direction and Pennsylvania is just on the threshhold of the work. The ladies will probably canvass the town some of these days to procure signatures in favor of the proposed law, which petitions will be sent to the next Senate and House.

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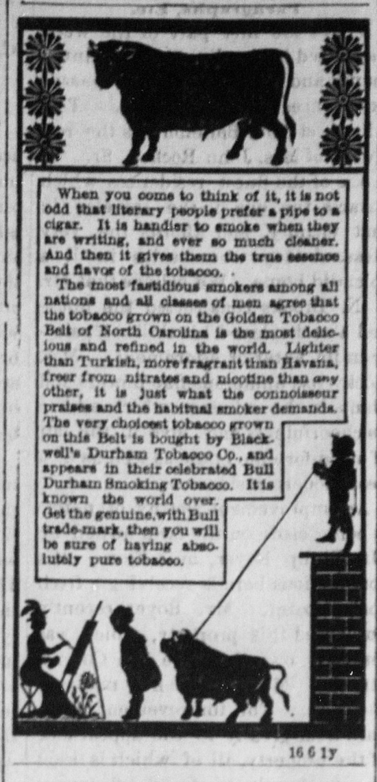
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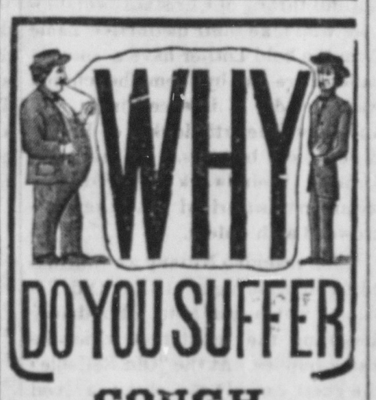

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—The sweet bud of promise is said to hover over the Centre county grain fields.

—Mr. Jeremiah Hoy, of Madisonburg, who has been quite seriously ill for some time, is convalescent.

—As the lightning was conducted along the telephone wires on Friday it produced a sound like the report of a pistol.

—Lamey & Sheasley, of Coburn, expect to move their saw mill to A. R. Alexander's track, midway between that place and Millheim.

—A thunder and lightning storm east of Williamsport Friday afternoon destroyed some of the Western Union wires and temporarily impeded telegraph operations.

—The green grocers' stores are beginning to assume quite an inviting and attractive appearance. Lettuce, radishes, tomatoes, &c., are among the seasonable commodities offered for sale.

—A dog recently lost by Mr. William R. Miller, of Sandy Ridge was evidently a valuable canine, as his master promises to pay $200 for the dog's recovery and return and no questions asked.

—There has been a change in the time for closing the morning mails at the post office to accommodate the change in the railroad schedule. The Bald Eagle mail will close at 9:15 a. m. instead of 9:30 as formerly. The Snow Shoe mail will close at 8:45 a. m instead of 9 o'clock.

—Mr. Ed. Kabella, once a resident of Bellefonte and now living in Altoona, was married on Thursday evening, May 1, to Miss Annie Fagan, daughter of James Fagan, deceased, also of that city. The wedding occurred in the Catholic church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Father Brierly.

—Unionville was the scene on Thursday evening of an elegant wedding, the happy couple being Mr. Joe Brugger and Miss Alice Rumberger, all of that place. Rev. W. W. Reese, of Milesburg, officiated. A reception was tendered the happy couple Friday evening at the residence of the groom's parents.

—Bellefonte is to have a creditable Fourth of July celebration, the Logan Hose Company having gone to work with a determination to accomplish this object. They are securing subscriptions, as money is the most important consideration in all such undertakings, and have already obtained a considerable sum.

—The Millheim *Journal* reports more or less illness in that vicinity. Its record of the condition of the invalids is about as follows: Mr. G. W. Stover, of Penns Creek, much improved; Mr. Hauck and Mr. B. F. Miller, each recovering slowly; but, we regret to state, no change in the condition of Mrs. G. W. Stover.

—The Bush House was the scene of an elegant dance Thursday night, participated in by about sixty people. It was a very informal affair and was continued until about 12 o'clock. The occasion was rendered the more enjoyable by the presence of several young ladies from a distance who are now tarrying in Bellefonte.

—We much admire the high styles of spring bonnets worn by the ladies But there is a "suggestion for a costume" in the last issue of the Washington *Hatchet* which is just too sweet for anything, especially the bonnet, which much resembles a gentleman's jockey cap. Beneath the front rim is a wealth of bangs, and still lower down the fascinating eyes of the wearer look forth like twin stars of lustrous beauty. The shoulder cape is just high enough to be suggestive of wings. Just imagine an angel in a jockey cap and you have this ideal of modern fashion.

—The discourse delivered by Rev. John Hewitt during the morning service in the Episcopal church Sunday had reference to the death of Moses, and in the course of his remarks he showed very strikingly how the entire career of that great Law-giver was a type of Christ. The particularly beautiful bits of description in the sermon were in the scene which pictured the visit of Pharaoh's daughter to the river and there finding the infant Moses, and the last journey of Moses up the sacred mount, his view of the promised land and his mysterious burial by angels.

THROUGH THE COUNTY.

Notes from a Wayside Wanderer—Evening Amusements, How to Whitewash, Personal Paragraphs, Etc.

During the first part of the week we started in the direction of Clinton county and met with many pleasant experiences in our travels. Two miles east from Bellefonte is the residence of Mrs. John Rockey, Sr. It is one of the finest residences which attracts the eye of the traveler in that vicinity, and affords the very pleasant lady who resides in it a splendid home. We believe that Mr. J. N. Brooks constructed the house and also displayed his skill as a painter in its exterior adornment. Mrs. Rocky has numerous fine flowers and plants in the windows which add to its cheerfulness and give it the air of a comfortable home as well as of a neat modern residence.

An improvement worthy of notice is being made on the farm owned by Mr. Philip Royer, near Zion. His commodious barn is receiving a fresh coat of paint. Mr. Royer recently purchased this property, which was formerly owned by the late Conrad Struble. Mr. Ed. Cole now manages the farm. The improvement to the barn adds greatly to the appearance of the property, all of which is kept in a uniformly neat and substantial condition.

While at Zion it was also our pleasure to meet Mr. T. B. Rupert and his family. Their hospitality knows no limits and their favors are almost without end. Nor do we wonder at this. They have cultivated the graceful and generous gifts of human nature. Having learned these, they taught others and we owe much to their instruction.

A lady living a mile east of Zion understands the art of whitewashing a house without the danger of climbing to a dizzy height. Perhaps if we report to the world what we saw through our reportorial spectacles the world may be wiser and we may congratulate ourselves on the disseminators of valuable human knowledge. Oh, ingenious brain of woman! The lady aforementioned found a pole 20 feet, more or less, in length. Attaching her brush to this, she soon transformed the house to an exterior appearance of pearly whiteness so indicative of cleanliness and refinement. Of course, that good lady is a Republican and would, if she could, vote for Blaine next November.

Lo! Snydertown appears to view. We enter its principal thoroughfare. Before us is a fine church building, not yet dedicated, but soon to be thus set apart for sacred uses. What denomination is it? That large and faithful throng of Christian worshippers who take their distinctive name from the bold Luther have a congregation here and by them the church was erected. It is exceedingly neat and shows the artistic skill of Brooks & Johnston, builders. If they perform all their work so creditably we are not surprised that they are crowded with orders.

Upon reaching Nittany we concluded to stop all night at the "Old Reliable" which as a hotel abundantly keeps up the reputation which its name implies. At the "Old Reliable" the guest can always obtain a good *square* meal—not a "round" meal that always disappears like a bursting bubble without affording any satisfaction. Another comfort always obtainable is a clean, good bed. Then there are other attractions at Nittany which render it a desirable place in which to spend the night with a few daylight hours thrown in.

On Thursday we reached Hecla Furnace. Mr. Shuman Zimmerman resides at that place, with his excellent wife and an adopted daughter. Mr. Z. is 71 years of age but youthful in spirits and as full of life and vivacity as a young man. He is always anxious that the young people of the neighborhood shall enjoy themselves and his efforts in this direction are usually successful. On Thursday evening his effort was in nature of a dance in which all the young people took part. There was very fine music by Mr. Frank Detrick. Mr. Jas. Dougherty called off in his excellent style and also favored the spectators with a jig which, Mr. Zimmerman said, reminded him of old times. After the dance had progressed quite a long time and a temporary rest was welcome, Mrs. Z., or rather Miss C. and Miss Y., brought out refreshments till we couldn't rest—and we didn't care to rest, either, while there were such choice refreshments about. After this part of the programme was skillfully executed we concluded with several dances and a schottish by Miss K. Z. and her brother.

Now, in closing, permit us just one word about Shuman Zimmerman, Jr., a nephew of Shuman Zimmerman, Sr., and son of Mr. Lewis Zimmerman. Talk about Prof. Philippi and other tight-rope walkers! They can't compare with Shuman Zimmerman's feats in this direction. He can waltz gracefully over a tight rope at any height without the aid of a balance and is as calm and self-controlled in such a position as an ordinary individual is when on *terra firma*.

SPRING-TIME.

Events of an Evening.

While nothing was announced to occur on Friday evening of sufficient importance to elicit everybody's attention and cause the entire town to talk about one subject to the exclusion of every other, there was nevertheless a considerable amount of excitement on the streets. The night was fair. The moon was full and bright. A large number of people appeared on the street and seemed to be enjoying the more than ordinary beauties of the weather.

It was the night for the Company inspection of Company B, N. G., of this place, preparatory to the inspection by the brigade officers which will occur this (Wednesday) evening. The company is, we are sure, one of the finest in the State. It has recently received fresh accessions to its membership and its number is now about completed. Considerable interest centers around the affairs at the Armory and the boys look forward to drill night with lively anticipations.

Friday evening was also the time appointed for the second meeting of the Base Ball Association and it took place as per announcement, President McMillen, Manager Green, Rev. J. P. Hughes and E. J. Swavely being present and, as usual, taking a leading part in the discussions. Two more names were added to the roll of membership. The board of directors was enlarged and the meeting adjourned.

The auction in J. C. Miller & Co.'s bookstore drew the usual audience. Mr. James Derr was the orator and he spoke with great rapidity and some brilliancy. What a variety of articles are put up for sale! Combs, toilet soaps, mustache cups, ornamental mugs, picture blocks, books, toys, etc. The responses come—5 cents, 10 cents, 15 cents, and so on. Jim don't parley long for a response. Of course, they are sold at a ridiculously low figure considering what is announced to be their real value, but such is usually the result of an auction.

The Literary Society are planning another mock trial for next Thursday evening. If the last one was entertaining the next one will be intensely interesting. Not only Daniel H. Hastings, Esq., the former presiding judge, is interesting himself in it but A. O. Furst, Esq., the leading member of the Bellefonte bar, and the most prominent Republican candidate for a President Judge of this district, is also giving it a part of his attention. Be patient, kind readers, Thursday evening will soon be here, and then you can all go to the Association Hall to enjoy this entertainment.

—Mrs. Stephens, wife of Robert Stephens, died at her home in Milesburg on Thursday morning about 4 o'clock. The disease which terminated her earthly existence was consumption. She was only 38 years of age. We believe that Milesburg was the home of her early youth, but during her married life she has resided in Louisville, Kentucky, and later in Tyrone, living several years in the latter place. She with her husband and five children moved to Milesburg only a few weeks ago. Of course, her untimely death will be greatly mourned by an affectionate family circle. Her remains were taken to Tyrone on Saturday where the interment took place at 2 o'clock p. m. She has two sisters living in Tyrone—Mrs. J. Boyer and Mrs. J. L. Ripley. The funeral services occurred at the residence of the latter, Rev. J. S. McMurray conducting the obsequies.

Very True.

What need is there at this time of the year for so many able-bodied men to be tramping through the country and going from house to house asking for something to eat, when there is plenty of labor for them to procure? Laboring hands are scarce, and we advise our farmers to give these parties the cold shoulder. There are a class of men, we dare say tramps, who will not go to work as long as they can procure something to eat, and many will, during the day, seek some isolated place, and, during the night will lay their hands upon whatever they can steal. Just now you can find them swarming through the country districts, and in fact upon every thoroughfare. They are scarce during the summer, and the query is—where do they spend their days during the heated term?—*Philipsburg Journal.*

—A game of base ball in Altoona on Saturday between the Boston nine and the Altoonas resulted in a score of 9 to 4 in favor of the latter.

A Temperance Talk.

The county convention of the W. C. T. U. on Thursday closed in the evening with a large mass meeting in the Court House at 7.30 o'clock. The President and Secretary occupied seats on the platform with the Speaker. Rev. Milton K. Foster eloquently invoked the throne of grace for aid on the temperance work and Rev. S. E. Furst read an appropriate selection from Scripture.

Miss N. E. White has frequently lectured before a Bellefonte audience and her appearance Friday night was greeted with applause by the large assembly. She prefaced her lecture on "Deborah and Barak" with congratulatory words in regard to the day's convention, pronouncing it one of the most successful county conventions which she has attended. Then she stated briefly the progress the order has made in Centre county and growing power in every State and Territory in the Nation. From the thrilling incidents connected with the heroic story of Deborah and Barak she drew comparisons to illustrate the position, at the present day, of the contending factions—the advocates of prohibition on the one hand and the liquor power on the other. She characterized the American saloon as the fiend of fiends. One of the most encouraging evidences of the increase of the prohibition sentiment she finds in the numerous calls for organization which appear in the official organ of the liquor interests. She noticed the organization of the "Pennsylvania Protective Association" by the brewers and distillers and said that their policy is to compell all candidates for the legislature to pledge themselves to support all legislative measures introduced for the liquor interest, in return for receiving the hearty financial support of this powerful organization. This society, she said, aims to abolish present legislation relating to Sunday laws and selling liquor to miners. She affirmed that 280,000 liquor sellers seek to control the 50,000,000 people who live in this country. Her speech contained numerous strong points.

The choir was fine and rendered musical selections in a delightful manner.

Hoover, Hughes & Co.

Among the greatest losers by the destruction of the saw mills and lumber of Hoover, Hughes & Co., at Snow Shoe and Brisbin, were the insurance companies. The following list shows the amount of insurance at both places and the proportion in which it was divided:

SNOW SHOE.

Saw mill, $8,000 divided among five insurance companies, three of which were foreign companies, one Canada and one Philadelphia.

Lumber, $6,000, one American and one English company.

Store, $2,000 in an English company.

Dwellings and boarding house, $1,700, in an American company.

Total insurance at Snow Shoe, $17,700.

BRISBIN.

Saw mill, $13,000, divided among nine companies.

Keg factory, $1,000, in an English company.

Lumber, $38,000 divided among twenty-two companies.

Total on saw mill, keg factory and lumber, $52,000.

Many dwellings belonging to the company and located at Brisbin were burned, but we have not learned the amount of insurance on them.

Total insurance on saw mill and lumber at both places $69,700.

Several insurance adjusters were in town last week consulting in regard to the losses at Snow Shoe. Among them were Mr. J. S. Catanach, of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company; Wm. B. Kelly, of the American Fire Insurance Company; T. Kirk White, of the Phœnix Assurance Co., London; John Biggert, Western Assurance Co.

—We much regret to record an accident which happened to Hon. S. T. Shugert on Thursday. He had regained his health and strength sufficiently to move around the house, expecting to visit his business office to-day. He advanced near the steps leading to the cellar when his foot slipped and he was prostrated the entire distance to the bottom. Marvelous and fortunate as it may seem, he was but slightly injured, one of his ankles being sprained and one of his arms bruised. As there is a stone wall at the foot of the stairs, his injuries might have been serious. We congratulate him on his escape, though we deplore the fact that he was injured at all.

—Col. Bayne, a magnetic and very successful temperance lecturer, will address an audience in the Court House of this place on the evening of May 22, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Council Notes.

The last meeting of the borough council, on Monday evening, May 5, was interesting but because of the crowded state of our columns we have not had space to refer to it.

A petition to open the thoroughfare known as Wisdom's Way to the dimensions of a street was received, Gen. Beaver and Messrs. Fox, Miller and Everhart being present to give emphasis to the petition. It was referred to the Street committee with directions to locate it.

A petition to open Beaver street as far as the pike was disposed of in the same way. A petition to open Spruce Alley as a street was referred to the Street committee.

The Street committee submitted plans for crossings near High street bridge.

The Water committee reported that thirteen leaks had been discovered on Linn street, four on Allegheny street and two on Bishop street, all of them in private supplies.

The Chief Burgess recommended the appointment of H. H. Montgomery as chief of police and Richard Morgan as assistant, for the present.

The possibility of Capt. Montgomery accepting an offer from a distance for his services as policeman, suggested to chief burgess and council the propriety of creating that officer chief of police at a salary of $50 per month and keeping him uniformed, dispensing with an assistant. Several gentlemen who were present made speeches on the subject, among them being Gen. James A. Beaver and W. C. Heinle, Esq. The latter gentleman, while district attorney, often had occasion to secure the services of Mr. Montgomery in executing writs and found that he could be depended on. Gen. Beaver had no recent experience in police affairs, but so far as Capt. Montgomery's war experience is concerned testified that there was no better soldier in the army.

A Wedding Event.

Our congratulations are due Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Powers, who arrived home from their wedding tour last Saturday. The event which united these two very happy young people occurred on Tuesday, May 6, in Curwensville. After that they took a short trip to some of the neighboring cities and towns, principally to visit their relatives and friends, returning home at the time above mentioned. Their welcome home was, as it properly should be, very enthusiastic. They were greeted, serenaded and "hand-shaked" by scores of friends, and both the bride and groom responded generously and pleasantly.

We take it for granted that our readers know that the bride was Miss Lizzie Keyser, of this place and formerly of the Telephone Exchange. She is a remarkably handsome and agreeable young lady and Ed. is to be envied his good fortune in securing such a desirable matrimonial prize. Ed. Powers is well and favorably known. He is a partner with his father in the large boot and shoe firm in this place and is an agreeable gentleman and a first-class business man. May their wedded life be full of happiness.

—Mr. David Glenn, Assistant Secretary of the Pennsylvania Reserve Association, has received notice from A. G. Curtin, President, and Chas Devine, Secretary, that the annual reunion of the Association, this year, will be held in Philadelphia July 1st, 1884, on the occasion of the unveiling of the monument erected to the memory of Gen. John F. Reynolds. The afternoon of that day will be devoted to business and the unveiling of the monument; in the evening there will be a banquet in the Union League, costing each member $1.50 The recording Secretary desires to know how many will attend from Centre county, their names and the railroad station from which they will start that they may have the benefit of reduced fare. Members of the Association in Centre county who expect to attend will please furnish this information to Mr. David Glenn, of this place, in time for him to communicate it to the recording secretary before the first of June.

Large Coal Shipments.

The Bald Eagle railroad company are now delivering at Mill Hall for the Beech Creek, Clearfield and Southwestern company, from forty to fifty cars of coal daily. This coal is moved to Jersey Shore by the latter road from where it goes north by way of the Pine Creek road.

The fact that the Pennsylvania company permits the passage of this coal over the Bald Eagle road from the Clearfield regions for the accommodation of the new road argues that no hostile feeling exists between the roads.—*L. H. Democrat.*

—Joseph Baldridge, Esq., of Hollidaysburg, died at his residence in that place on Friday morning.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. James Humes, son of Mr. William Humes, Sr., was visible in Bellefonte last week.

Miss Hill, of Camden, N. J., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. McMillen, at the Brockerhoff House.

Hon. S. T. Shugert, of the *Democrat*, is so ill that he has not been able to visit his office during this week.

Mr. Scott, who is employed by the Williams' Bros., painters, is said to be a first class base ball pitcher.

Mr. John Lyon, of Pennsylvania Furnace, has been spending the past few days at his parents' home in this place.

Miss Layman, an attractive young lady from the Quaker City, is the guest of Miss Stott, on Allegheny street.

Miss Carrie Munson, of Philipsburg, is tarrying at the residence of her brother Mr. Lem Munson in this place.

Clem Dale, Esq., started in the direction of Philadelphia, Saturday morning, and expects to be absent about three weeks.

Daniel Hess, of Linden Hall, is erecting a new house which he expects to occupy about the time the railroad is finished as far as that place.

Mr. Frank Musser, of Aaronsburg, is determined to become a first-class lawyer and has entered the law department of a prominent educational institution in Ohio.

Mr. Joe Undercoffer, one of the Pennsylvania R. R. employes at the station in this place, now exercises on a bicycle—one of the sort that has the small wheel in front.

Rev. John Hewitt has been in Philipsburg during part of his absence from town. He was present at the ordination of a minister, which took place in that borough.

Mr. George Bible, of Philadelphia, is now in town, having concluded to take a vacation of a month or six weeks, during which he will assist his brother, Recorder Frank Bible, in the latter's official duties.

Mr. Daniel Garman reached home from Canada on Saturday evening. Those horses did not accompany him on the same train, but he announced that they were not far behind, from which we conclude that they are here by this time.

Chet. Hill, Esq., a prominent Williamsport politician, stepped from the train at the station in this place on Saturday afternoon, but entered the train again ere it departed, fortified for a longer journey by a taste of Bellefonte refreshment.

Mr. John Davis, a former resident of this county, but who during the past year has been living in Dakota, is now visiting his friends in this vicinity, making his temporary headquarters with his brother in Penns Valley. He is much pleased with Dakota as a place of residence.

Mr. Cliff S. Thomas has taken another step upward in the line of promotion. He is now Asst. Road Foreman of Engines, New York Division of Pennsylvania R. R., and is located in Jersey City, N. J. He has our congratulations and best wishes for still further advances up the ladder to fame.

Mrs. H. L. Rothrock, of Newton, Jasper county, Iowa, is a guest at the residence of Mr. David Parsons in this place. Mrs. Rothrock was formerly a resident of this county, we believe of Jacksonville, and is delighted to meet with her numerous friends as they are happy to meet with her. She is a pleasing, vivacious lady and we trust her visit will be prolonged.

Memorial Services.

The Ladies' Auxiliary Committee on floral decorations for Memorial Day, 30th inst., are the following, viz Mrs. Amos Mullen, chairman; Mrs. Lew. Schaffer, Mrs. Geo. A. Bayard, Mrs. E. T. Tuten, Mrs. D. H. Hastings, Mrs. Jesse Stewart, Mrs. H. A. Williams, Mrs. S. H. Williams, Mrs. Jas. Sheridan, Mrs. D. M. Glenn, Mrs. Jno. I. Curtin, Mrs. F. C. Richard, Mrs. David Bartley, Mrs. Chas. Eckenroth, Pleasant Gap; Mrs. John Weaver, Logan.

As these ladies have kindly consented to assist the committee of the G. A. R., of Gregg Post, they are duly authorized to call to their aid others who are willing, and to make such arrangements as will materially add to the beauty and felicity of the occasion.

COMMITTEE.

MARRIED.

ARMBRUSTER—REIFSNYDER.—On the 27th of April, at Centre Hall, by Rev. W. E. Fisher, Mr. George Armbruster, of Farmer's Mills, and Mrs. Lucinda B. Reifsnyder, of Millheim.

DIED.

FRAIN.—On the 1st day of May, in Nittany Valley, Mrs. Mary Ann, wife of Rev. J. S. Frain (nee Zeigler) aged 48 years, 2 months and 1 day. She was a consistent member of the Evangelical church. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. N. Wallis, assisted by Revs. J. H. Welch and P. C. Weidemeyer.